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## WAITING FOR TWP. ELECTION

MOST TOWNSHIP CANDIDATES NAMED SATURDAY.

## PRIMARY FOR HUGHES

Both Parties of Monroe to Meet Friday Night—Hopkins G. O. P. Saturday.

Party conventions for the nominating of candidates to be voted upon at the township elections on March 29 were held Saturday in nearly every township in the county.

In Union township, only the Democrats nominated Saturday. The Republicans will meet next Saturday. The Republicans of Hopkins township likewise will meet next Saturday.

The Democrats of Hopkins township named only two candidates, selecting Fred Monroe for trustee and Fred Yeomans for assessor. The ticket may be filled later, it was announced. Anyone qualified and wishing to run for the other offices may consult the township chairman, S. E. Browne.

In Monroe township, both parties will hold their nominating conventions at Skidmore next Friday night.

**A Primary At Graham.**

In Hughes township the nominations were made by a form of primary election, with the polls open from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. One hundred thirteen Republican and forty Democratic votes were cast.

The Republican candidates selected were:

Collector, Lewis Lawson; trustee, E. A. Morgan; assessor, C. A. Hatfield; members of township board, W. S. Ellsworth and John Neil; justices of peace, L. D. Bose and H. B. Barrett; constable, Frank Burchett.

The Democratic candidates were:

Collector, Dale Acklin; trustee, L. K. Russell; assessor, E. S. Lockhart; members of township board, Edgar D. Elliott and Dean Shull; justice of peace, H. J. Stiverson; constable, J. E. Black.

**Washington Township.**

Two complete tickets for township offices were named Saturday by the Republicans and Democrats of Washington township. Meeting at Guilford, they made the following nominations:

Republican, collector, Oscar Anderson, Democrat, J. C. Barnes; assessor, Republican, James H. Carver, Democrat, Walter Giffin, trustee; Joe Oliver, Democrat, Bert Rimel; constable, Republican, W. T. McCoppin, Democrat, C. M. Noland; Members of township board: Republicans, Andrew Nelson, R. L. Carter, Democrats, James Brady, J. L. Hocker; justices: Republicans C. C. Reynolds; Erma Weatherman; Democrats W. F. Davies, John Roberts.

**Jackson Township.**

The following nominees were selected by the Republicans of Jackson township at the party convention Saturday:

Trustee, C. A. Shunk; members Township Board, R. F. Wells, Ed Spoonamore; Assessor, L. A. Joy; Justices, Newton Long, Joseph Powell; Constable, Grant J. Gates; Collector, Mrs. Phoebe Mow.

**White Cloud Township.**

T. M. Jones of White Cloud township, was nominated Saturday by the Democratic convention of that township for their candidate for trustee at the election March 29.

Other officers nominated, according to Sherman Heflin, were J. O. Bolin for collector, Ova Goff for assessor, Pearl Jackson for members of the township board, south district and R. M. Evans for member of the township board, north district.

Dwight Swihford was the choice of the convention for candidate for justice of the peace.

The White Cloud Republicans named for trustee, D. N. Hoshor; collector, Mrs. Vern Williams; assessor, Chester Davison; members of township board, Verne Manley, north end, Will Turner, south end; constable, Will Brackin; justice of the peace, W. A. Shinabargar.

**Independence Township.**

Republican, trustee, Earl Nally; collector, W. I. Burne; assessor, Joe Bird; members of the township board, Truman Young and Lloyd Reddick; constable, Jim Griffey; justice of the peace, John Cooper.

Democratic, trustee, Leroy Nigh; collector, Marion Pope; assessor, George Hepburn; members of the township board, Albert Wilson and John Hovenkotter; justice of the peace, Ed Gaynor, constable, Simon Dixon.

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## Small Fire in Boiler Room of High School

Blaze From Overheated Soot Causes Alarm, But it is Extinguished Easily—Children Remain

Joists above the boiler room of the Maryville High School, First and Vine streets, caught fire from overheated soot about 9:30 o'clock this morning. Water was turned on the smoking joists in this room, in the northeast part of the building, from a garden hose before the fire department arrived and the fire was extinguished without the aid of the department, with very little damage.

School children were stationed at all doors of the building and were held in readiness to move out of the building in orderly fashion in case the fire gained headway. It was not necessary however, to complete the evacuation.

## PROGRAM BY CHORAL CLUB

SACRED CONCERT AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TOMORROW NIGHT.

## STARTS AT 8 O'CLOCK

Five Soloists Will Appear On Lyceum Course Number, It Is Announced.

The program for the sacred concert to be given tomorrow night at the Christian Church by the Choral Club of the State Teachers College, was announced today by Charles R. Gardner, conductor.

The program will start at 8 p. m. It is one of the lyceum course numbers sponsored by the church this season.

The soloists for the sacred concert will be Miss Elizabeth Mills, soprano; Miss Katherine Gray, soprano; Miss Audrey Stiwalt, violinist; Carl Morrison, flutist; and Thomas H. Annett, accompanist.

The program as arranged by Mr. Gardner:

1. a. Alma Mater; b. Gloria from Twelfth Mass (Modart).
2. Aria—Il Est Doux, Il Est Bon (Hevodiade) by Massenet—Miss Mills.
3. a. At Eventide, It Shall be Light (Gaul); b. List! The Cherubic Host (Gaul)—Women's Glee Club; Miss Mills, Soprano; Paschal Monk, Baritone.
4. Violin solo, selected—Miss Stiwalt.
5. a. Beautiful Savior (Christiansen); b. On Canaan's Shore (Loomas)—Choral Club.
6. Flute solo, Hearts and Flowers (Tobia)—Mr. Morrison.
7. a. Proudly as the Eagle (Spohr); b. Little Peweet (Parks)—Men's Glee Club.
8. Soprano solo a. When Celia Sings Moihr; b. The Birds Fly North Again—Miss Gray.
9. Great and Marvelous are Thy Works, from the Holy City (Gaul)—Choral Club.

## Randall Contracts for Three Bridges

W. W. Randall, bridge contractor, is building an 80-foot double roadway steel bridge, three miles south of Amazonia, in Andrew County, this week. Mr. Randall also has the contracts for building a 160-foot span over the west fork of the Grand river near Albany and a 50-foot span near Fairfax.

Mr. Randall completed the new bridge over the drainage ditch, west of Barnard, in twenty-three days. The bridge is now open for travel.

## South Methodists Hear Radio Program

A radio program was the feature of the evening services at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, yesterday.

Harry C. Todd of the Hanamo Telephone Company, installed a loud speaker in the church auditorium in order that the congregation might hear the program given by the State Teachers College Choral Club broadcast from KMA, Shenandoah, Iowa.

The program yesterday afternoon was heard also.

**Leave Hospital.**

Mrs. Glen V. Guthrie and baby son, Garman V., left St. Francis Hospital Saturday and are at the home of Mrs. Guthrie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart.

## CITY POLLS TO BE OPEN AT 6

PRIMARY TO CONTINUE UNTIL 7 P. M. TOMORROW

## CONTEST FOR COUNCIL

Mayor Has No Opposition, But Voters Are to Select Four of Six Commissioner Candidates

Polling places will open at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning for the city primary at which time voters of Maryville will choose their candidates for mayor and city council to be elected April 5.

The polls will close at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Thirty-five hundred ballots have been printed for the primary election and poll books were in readiness today at the city hall.

The voters will have one candidate to vote on for mayor. W. O. Garrett, the present incumbent, is the only candidate.

They will have their choice of two of six candidates for commissioners to the city council.

The candidates for the council are the present two commissioners, Augustus Romasser and D. E. Hotchin, and A. N. ("Doll") Reece, Wilbert Reese, Ernest C. Moore and T. C. Coil.

The four receiving the highest number of votes at tomorrow's primary will be certified to the election at which time two will be elected.

The polling places as designated by the city council:

The several polling places for the primary, March 22 and the election, April 5, were fixed as follows:

First ward: At the fire station, 413 North Market street.

Second ward: At the Armory, 408 North Buchanan street.

Third ward: Office of Arnold-Strong Motor Company, 118 West Second street.

Fourth ward: Plumbing Shop of James Smith, 204 East Third street.

## Two Men Are Paroled From the County Jail

Joe Ryan and Fred C. James, the Latter From Elmo, Are Given Their Liberty.

Two inmates of the county jail have been paroled since Saturday.

Joe Ryan, who pleaded guilty during the January term of court to possession of intoxicating liquor was given his liberty Saturday after payment of costs. He was fined $200 and sentenced to three months in jail. He served seven weeks.

Fred C. James of Elmo, who pleaded guilty during the October, 1926, term of court to driving an automobile while intoxicated, was paroled today by payment of costs. He was sentenced to one year in jail by special judge, Jesse F. Robertson.

He was given his parole by Judge John M. Dawson upon recommendation of Judge Robertson and Dr. C. P. Fryer.

Dr. Fryer stated that on two examinations he found James suffering with sciatic rheumatism.

The parol was granted on condition that the defendant report to the court at each term until discharged, that he abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors and not associate with any persons dealing in liquor.

## Bank Commissioner to Move His Office

E. C. Curfman to Leave Real Estate Building—Furniture to Be Auctioned Friday

E. C. Curfman, special deputy commissioner in charge of the liquidation of the Real Estate Bank, will move his office this week from the Real Estate Bank building, to the office of the Maryville Lumber Co., on the east side of the square. Mr. Curfman will have only desk space at the lumber company office.

A public auction of the furniture and fixtures of the bank will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

## Mrs. J. M. Manley's Fall Is Not Serious

Mrs. J. M. Manley, 615 East Fourth street, who suffered a broken hip several months ago, lost her balance late Saturday afternoon when she attempted to stand. She was taken to St. Francis Hospital for an X-ray examination which revealed no injuries.

## Bathtub Party Host Must Serve Sentence

U. S. Supreme Court Denies a Review to Earl Carroll, New York Show Producer.

Washington, March 21.—Earl Carroll must serve his sentence of a year and a day in Atlanta prison for perjury, the United States Supreme court decided today.

The petition of the New York show producer for a review of the conviction resulting from a grand jury investigation of Carroll's famous bathtub party on his theater stage was denied.

The decision ending all hope of Carroll's escaping the sentence—except by executive clemency—was announced just a week after Carroll's petition was formerly presented to the court.

## TWO PENSION BILLS BEATEN

LEGISLATURE KILLS MEASURES FOR TEACHERS AND POLICE.

## DECLARED DANGEROUS

Financial Stability of State Imperiled, Opponents Say — Prison Board Nomination Up Tomorrow.

Jefferson City, March 21—The teachers pension bill was defeated by an overwhelming majority of dissenting votes when it was put before the house today.

Debaters attacked the measure vigorously, declaring it was dangerous to the financial stability of the state to begin passing pension measures.

Jefferson City, March 21—The house today killed the Beedle enabling act, which would have authorized all cities with organized police departments to create a police pension system by ordinance.

Jefferson City, March 21—Senator B. T. Gordon, Clay county.

Senator B. T. Gordon, Clay county, chairman of the Senate committee on Penal Institutions, before which committee the Prison Board appointments are pending for confirmation, announced Saturday he will report the names of Dr. Cortez F. Enloe and his associates without recommendation, Tuesday.

Gordon's committee is composed of Senators M. E. Ford of Nodaway, L. N. Searcy of Shannon, Dwight P. Brown of Poplar Bluff, Walter Brownlee of Linn and Frank B. Warner and Joseph Mogler of St. Louis.

Two of the seven members are of the group of fourteen that voted to reject Enloe, A. H. Steinbeck, Commissioner of Parsles; William B. McGregor, Commissioner of Farms; Thomas Speed Mosby, who is unassigned, and Leslie Rudolph, warden of the Penitentiary. Warner and Mogler are Republicans.

An executive session of the Senate to consider confirmations is expected Wednesday.

## DELAY WORK ON NEW WELL FOR REPAIRS

It will be three or four days before drilling will again start on the Quitman Oil and Gas Company's new oil well, located nine and a half miles northwest of Maryville.

George Rose, contractor, said today that he had a little bad luck Saturday, when part of the machinery broke, and that he would have to go to Chanute, Kan., to get some repairs.

When drilling stopped, 9 a. m. Saturday, a depth of 485 feet had been reached.

## *God and You*

A LENTEN MEDITATION

By The Rev. Charles Stelzle

God in you gives you victory over self.

There are two forces in us contending for the mastery—the flesh and the spirit.

"The good that I would do, I do not; but the evil which I would not, that I do," wrote Paul to the Romans.

Because of this he was most unhappy.

Paul found that victory over the evil was obtained only by complete filling with the spirit of God.

The withholding of any part lays us open to assault, for it gives the enemy a chance to organize his attack and persist in it.

## HIGHWAY 40 UNDER WATER

SMALL STREAMS FLOODED IN CENTRAL MISSOURI.

## TWO BOYS DROWNED

Basketball Players, Returning From Tournament, Swept Into Torrent When Wagon Goes Off.

Jefferson City, March 21.—Torrential rains that fell over central and southern Missouri swelled small rivers to overflowing today, according to reports reaching the office of the state meteorologist at Columbia.

U. S. highway No. 40, formerly state highway No. 2, from Kansas City to St. Louis, was closed to traffic yesterday shortly after the accidental drowning of two Kansas City boys near Sweet Springs, by order of H. M. Brush, division engineer for the state highway department. It will be closed all day today and probably tomorrow.

Persons going east from Kansas City should take highway No. 50 to Sedalia, Mr. Brush said, and go north from Sedalia on highway No. 65 to No. 40.

"This is the first time water has run over No. 40 at the Davis Creek bridge," Mr. Brush said. "The bridge is not in danger of being washed out."

The flooded condition of Davis Creek is ascribed to the high waters in Black Water Creek, into which Davis Creek empties about half a mile south of the highway. The entire area is flooded because of the heavy rains the last few days. More than two inches fell Saturday afternoon and night.

**Two High School Boys Drown.**

Kansas City, Mo., March 21.—Two members of the Kansas City Central high school basketball team met death yesterday near Sweet Springs, Mo., seventy-five miles east of Kansas City, when a wagon, crowded with high school boys, was swept from federal highway No. 40 into the turbulent flooded waters of Davis Creek.

Walter Brewer died from exposure after heroically rescuing a comrade from the swift current. Richard Hartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hartman, 2614 Park avenue, was thrown into the channel, where he struggled a moment in the flood, hampered by his heavy overcoat, and sank, not to reappear. Walter Brewer was the son of Dr. Mary Brewer, 4635 East Thirty-seventh street, and Dr. Richard H. Brewer, 2518 East Thirty-first street.

**Returning From State Tourney.**

The boys were returning with the Central and Northeast high school basketball teams in a Purple Swan bus from the state basketball tournament at Columbia.

Steve Aldridge, driver of the bus, said it was impossible to cross the flooded area with the load. He requested the passengers to get out. He engaged a farmer with a team of mules and a farm wagon to haul the boys across, while he followed with the empty bus.

A swift current, the water between two and three feet deep, was sweeping over the road on each side of the bridge for a distance of about 800 feet. The road at that point is graded through the low lands at a height of about fifteen feet. There are no guard railings on the sides.

Fifteen boys piled into the wagon. Aldridge said he followed with the empty bus about a half block behind. The wagon was driven safely across the bridge. About 100 feet the other side of it, the wheels left the concrete slab and the wagon tilted dangerously to one side as it was forced toward the edge of the steep bank, invisible because of the rushing waters. The next moment one of the mules went down the bank and then the other. The farmer shouted a warning of "Jump!" The boys scrambled off the wagon, some landing on the edge of the bank and crawling back toward the slab.

**Victim Weighted Down.**

Charles Kauffman and Hartman did not have time to jump. Hartman landed in the current. He had on his overcoat and swimming was out of the question. He struggled only a few feet from the bank, just out of reach of those who had found safety on the slab, and sank. That was the last anyone saw of him.

Kauffman was paddling around the floating wagon. He could not swim. Brewer flung off his coat and dived into the stream. He helped Kauffman to the wagon. They clung to the wagon while the boys on the slab shouted encouragement and attempted futilely to form a human chain to reach them.

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## Mexican Train Held Up; Partly Burned

Six Americans On Board When Bandits Make Attack.—Conductor Is Shot To Death.

Mexico City, March 21.—A train from Laredo, carrying six Americans and scores of Mexicans, was held up and partly burned near Obregon, state of Guanajuato, Saturday night, it was learned when the train arrived here early today, eighteen hours late.

Emilio Garcia, conductor, was shot to death when he got out of the train to beg the assailants not to shoot because of women and children aboard.

"The train was moving slowly toward Obregon when he heard a volley of shots," one American passenger told the United Press. "We were ordered out of the train and three coaches were burned. Train officials said they also took 100,000 pesos from the express car."

## PEACHES LEFT OUT IN COLD

HUSBAND, E. W. BROWNING, WINS SEPARATION.

## NO ALIMONY FOR HER

Frances Heenan's Claim Dismissed by Justice Seegar—Were Married Less Than Year Ago.

White Plains, N. Y., March 21.—Edward West Browning, 52-year-old millionaire and experienced in cinderellas, today won separation from Frances ("Peaches") Heenan, whom he married less than a year ago.

The decision of Supreme Court Justice Seegar, before whom the sensational trial was held, was given in Westchester County court where Daddy Browning and his plump bride came in January to begin the airing of their sometimes funny, frequently vulgar, marital differences.

Justice Seegar dismissed Mrs. Browning's claim and awarded Browning an absolute separation. Mrs. Browning was given no alimony and her cross complaint was dismissed.

## Tornado Stricken Town Buries Dead

List of Arkansas Victims Shrinks to 17 on Re-Check.—Physicians Attend 106 Injured.

Little Rock, Ark., March 21.—Green Forest, Ark., ravaged by wind and fire Friday night, buried its dead today while physicians and Red Cross workers administered to 106 persons who suffered injuries.

A re-check today of the area, where a tornado wiped out one town completely and severely damaged another, revealed that only seventeen persons were known to have been killed. There were many duplications in the reports, it was said.

The emergency hospital in Green Forest is caring for seventy-five injured victims. Physicians are treating eighteen others. Huntington hospitals are caring for thirteen, three of whom are expected to die.

Acres of wreckage recalled the storm that came up in the night, uprooting trees and overturning houses as it swept on, leaving death, misery and poverty in the narrow strip it covered.

## "Jewish Issue" Breaks In Sapiro Case Today

Courtroom, Detroit, March 1.—The so-called "Jewish issue" shunned so assiduously heretofore in the Aaron Sapiro million dollar libel suit case against Henry Ford, broke suddenly upon the case today.

An apparantly innocent question asked William J. Cameron, editor of the Dearborn Independent by William Henry Gallagher, attorney for Sapiro, brought two of Ford's lawyers to their feet protesting.

The jury was excused and the session was devoted to a discussion of legal teachnicalities.

## Motion for New Trial Filed by H. F. Sinclair

Washington, March 21.—Harry F. Sinclair, multi-millionaire oil man convicted last week for contempt of the Senate because of refusing to answer oil investigating committee questions in 1924, filed today in the District of Columbia Supreme court a motion for a new trial.

## TROOPS LAND IN SHANGHAI

U. S. MARINES GO ASHORE AS CANTONESE TAKE CITY.

## EVENT MADE HOLIDAY

Chinese Declare General Strike. Celebrate in Streets.—Foreigners Guard Settlement.

Washington, March 21.—The United States has intervened in the Chinese civil war to protect 5,000 American citizens endangered at Shanghai.

After weeks of watchful waiting, 1,500 United States marines were landed in the international settlement of that city today with orders to protect their compatriots and American property at any cost.

The intervention is non-political, and it does not in any way extend to the Chinese internal situation. The American marines will protect American lives and property, only.

**Cantonese Celebrate.**

Shanghai, March 21.—Armed foreigners, including 1500 United States marines, tonight patrolled the international settlement, prepared at all costs to defend the area from Chinese mobs of soldiers, while in the native city the Cantonese nationalists celebrated their capture of Shanghai.

Countless thousands of Chinese milled in the streets this afternoon. Business was stopped. From the fringe of the city came the rattling sound of rifle fire. Street cars and busses were motionless and instead of the careless clatter of ordinary life, the city was pervaded by the subdued moaning sound which came from the shuffling, babbling thousands of Chinese who overflowed the city in all directions.

The general strike was effective. Cotton mills were closed and it was estimated that 100,000 workers had left their jobs to celebrate the occasion.

**20,000 Trained Defenders.**

The foreign forces available for the protection of the international settlement in Shanghai now are about 20,000 trained men, the greater part British.

The American force consists of 1,800 marines and 2,000 bluejackets.

The Japanese have 3,000 fighting men in Shanghai; the French a somewhat smaller force.

Twenty-one warships of five foreign countries are off Shanghai ready to protect foreign lives and property.

Shanghai, China's biggest port, has a foreign population of nearly 40,000 persons, 3,000 of whom are Americans. There are heavy foreign investments. Chinese in the city number about 1½ millions.

**General Butler on Way.**

Tokyo, March 21.—General Smedley Butler, arrived here today en route to Shanghai, where he will command the United States marines contingent which landed there this morning.

## Jugo-Slavia Willing to Let League Act

International Force May Be Sent to Keep Peace in Albania, Cause of Italian Crisis.

Paris, March 21.—Jugo Slavia is willing to submit the Albanian crisis to the League of Nations, dispatches from Belgrade reported today.

Dispatch of an international expeditionary force under League auspices to Albania to maintain peace in that country, would be approved by Jugo Slavia, it was understood.

Geneva, March 21.—League of Nations attaches were confident today that the Jugo Slavian-Italian situation would not reach the stage of hostilities.

Although the threatened break over Albanian internal affairs was being watched by league observers, it had not been brought officially before the organization. Attaches said, however, that Albania herself would appeal to Geneva if she felt she were menaced and, if an acute crisis developed, some other member nations would ask League interference.

Earl Booth and Lloyd Blackford of Wilcox each trucked a load of hogs to St. Joseph today.

**Weather**

Partly cloudy today; Tuesday probably fair and somewhat warmer.

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## BARBS

AIN'T FASHION GRAND?

Good things come in small packages this year, says a fashion writer. You can't tell from the parcel whether it's a package of cigarets or $666 worth of Easter ensemble for the friend wife .... There'll be no hip and shoulder bustles in the parade this year, but that doesn't seem to relieve the traffic congestion, either .... Sweeping gowns of course have been brushed aside since the ladies quit sweeping... There'll be no plumes on hats this year because of the big demand from the hearse people in Chicago. In Paris the women are fighting out the issue of whether or not they'll wear trousers. As if that were any question these days!

Burglars in a Cleveland home got a dime. John D. Rockefeller isn't living there again, is he?

George Bernard Shaw says his contempt for a British bill to restrict American movies is so great that it deprives him of the power of however, will be only temporary.

Headlines you never see: KELLOGG CALLS KING AND BORAH GREATEST STATESMAN SINCE LINCOLN.—

A Parisian cook, defending French culinary art, says people offered her a "bridge of gold across the ocean to Palm Beach." A born press agent like that is wasting her time with a skillet.

## Grand View

The members of the Consolidated Friendship Club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon March 17, with Mrs. Bert Hart. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. M. P. Jones, president. Roll call was answered by St. Patrick's quotations. The club is growing. Three new members were received during March. The house was tastefully decorated with green shamrocks and white, the color scheme was also carried out in the refreshments. During the social hour Mrs. Will Wilson won the contest prize. The remainder of the afternoon was spent quilting. The club adjourned to meet on March 31 with Mrs. Al Cline. Those present were Mrs. M. P. Jones, Mrs. Chester Logan, Mrs. Al Cline, Mrs. Gail Boyd, Mrs. Walter Hart, Mrs. Coleborne Payne, Mrs. Arthur Owens, Mrs. Will Wilson, Mrs. Loren Hart, Mrs. Sam Harris, Mrs. Bert Hart, Mary Hart, Loretta Boyd and Forest Jones.

Billie Mitchell and Jean Hart spent the week end in Grant City with their school teacher, Mrs. C. T. Clouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Richard and son spent Thursday at T. F. Payne's.

Mrs. Gail Boyd called on Mrs. Randolph Batton Friday.

Mrs. Horace Miller and son, Paul Morin, were in Grant City Thursday night.

Bert and Walter Hart are getting lumber sawed at the Gladman mill on the Platte river.

Miss Evadne Batt spent Sunday at Randolph Batt's.

Mrs. Arthur Bunker was a business visitor in Grant City Wednesday night.

To be sitting on top of the world isn't such a hot ambition. Consider the Eskimo.

New York minister says the devil is busy in Russia. Then somebody actually is working over there.

Read the Want Ads.

AH, NOW THIS IS A FISH OF ANOTHER COLOR.

## Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I always thought the Jones boy could lick me until he kicked my dog once an' I forgot about him bein' big."

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KNABB ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Tudder of Elmo spend Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Normon.

Velma and Roberta Goforth spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher.

Raymond and Vern David spent Thursday evening with Benjamin Wilhoyt.

Leland David of Pickering spent Saturday and Sunday with Lowrence Logan.

Raymond and Vern David spent Wednesday evening with Lloyd and Retha Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Wallace spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott.

Virginia and Lela Hardisty spent Sunday afternoon with Helen and Golda Birkenholz.

Virginia and Lela Hardisty spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Vivian Hall.

Mrs. Frank Hall returned home from a week's visit with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Baughman of Camden Point.

Mary Hill spent Saturday with Madeline Fine.

Retha Logan spent Sunday evening with Mary Hill.

John Stelter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott.

## Administrators File Suit Against Bank

Lewis E. Miller and Effie Feree, administrators of the estate of the late Alexander Gray, today filed suit against the Northwestern Bank of Burlington Junction, S. L. Cantley, finance commissioner, and S. E. Evans, deputy in charge of the bank, E. L. Sexson, P. D. Nicholas and Charles DeNeen.

The plaintiffs seek $1,090 and $289.90 claimed to be due on a note, and ask that the commissioners surrender into court a promissory note for $800 and $285.90.

## Bank Is Authorized to Sell 80 Acres

Land Three Miles Southeast of Hopkins to Go to B. H. and A. M. Hopple for $6,000

Frank H. Barrett, special deputy commissioner, in charge of the defunct Bank of Hopkins, Saturday was authorized by Judge John M. Dawson, in circuit court, to sell eighty acres of land belonging to the bank to Benjamin H. and Alonzo M. Hopple for $6,000.

The land is situated three miles southeast of Hopkins. S. L. Cantley, finance commissioner, was authorized to give a deed for the land and to pay off and discharge a first deed of trust on the land amounting to $5,200 with interest from March 1, 1926, and to release a second deed of trust.

### John Coburn, Former Resident, Here

John Coburn, of Stanberry, a former resident of Maryville for many years, was in Maryville today. Mr. Coburn was nominated as the Republican candidate for trustee for Cooper township, (Stanberry) at a convention held recently.

Mr. Coburn was connected with George Custer in the building of cement bridges here in Maryville and also sewers. Two daughters attended the State Teachers College here. He left Maryville a few years ago.

## Waiting For Township Election

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Green Township.

Democratic ticket, trustee, H. D. McDonald; collector, Miss Olga Lee Rodman; assessor, J. M. Palmer; members of the township board, William Taylor and James Hedrick.

Republican ticket, trustee, Carl Johnson; collector, H. E. Parshall; assessor, H. L. Bailey; members of the township board, Charles Ross and Lee Hankin; justices of the peace, J. E. Williams and W. F. Branson; constable, C. A. Morton.

Jefferson Township.

Democratic, trustee, O. R. Proctor; members of the township board, Clem Meyer and C. F. Farnon; assessor, Joseph Lager; collector, Mrs. Rosetta Klass; constable, Gabe Purcell; justices of the peace, F. R. Growney and Frank Holtman.

Nodaway Township.

Democratic, trustee, Sam Webb; members of the board, John Blackford and Ralph Yates; assessor, Alvin Reavis; collector, James Weable; justice of the peace, Knox Alexander; constable, George Yates.

Republican, trustee, William Bush; members of the board, Ed Van Pelt and Cyrus Cole; assessor, James Greenelsh; collector, Mrs. Mary Coile; constable, Frank Thompson.

Atchison Township

Democrats: Collector, Mrs. Golda Smith; assessor, Rolla Cable; trustee, Jess Baker; township board, Pole Swaney and Glen Gate; justices of the peace, Perry Farrens and John Gohn; constable, D. A. Wallace.

Republican: Collector, Elmer Matlock; assessor, Eldon Milbank; trustee, Manning Rose; township board, Amos Hays and Eph Johnson; constable, William Crigger.

Lincoln Township

Republicans: Trustee, Howard Younger; members of the board, E. M. Adkins and E. K. Bailey; collector, Opal Bloomfield; assessor, J. L. Russell; constable, D. D. Hutchings; justices of the peace, W. W. Whittington, Leonard Yaple, J. W. McClaren.

Democrats: Trustee, Z. R. Alexander; township board, A. A. Campbell and Ed Graham; assessor, Edgar Lamb; collector, Mrs. Murrel Williamson; justices of the peace, T. J. Jean; constable, O. V. Knuckolls.

Other township nominees were given in Saturday's Democrat-Forum.

## Highway 40 Under Water

(Continued from page 1).

Roy Williams, 27 years old, a wanderer from Girardville, Pa., was standing by. "Tie a rope around my waist" he cried. "I'll go in."

Williams plunged into the channel, swam to the upturned wagon and held fast.

The Hero Dies of Exposure.

"Pull in!" he cried, and the Northeast and Central rivals pulled. The wagon was pulled to shore. Kauffman and Brewer were exhausted. Brewer died soon afterwards at Sweet Springs.

Both of the mules drowned. They tried to swim, but were unable to because of the harness.

Choral Club of the State Teachers College, Charles R. Gardner, conductor, in Sacred Concert, Christian Church, tomorrow night, 8 o'clock. 64 voices.—Advertisement.

## Crime Crusher

(NEA Service, New York Bureau.) This is State Senator Caleb H. Baumes, of New York. He is author of the celebrated law which has proved so effective a deterrent to crime in New York that statutes modelled after it are contemplated by the legislatures of many other states. It provides mandatory, severe sentences for confirmed criminals and restricts the power of the parole board.

## HAVE YOU DRIVEN one of the NEW DODGE CARS?


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Quality — Service

**Hanamo 750** — **TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY** — **Farmers 201**

Fresh Channel Cat Fish for Wednesday.
Kippered Salmon, pound .....40c
Smoked White Fish, pound .....35c

Italian grated Cheese carton .....10c
Pabsette Cheese, carton .....25c
Swiss Pimento, Brick ½ lb carton.....25c

Mixed Vegetables, fine for soups and stews, No. 2 cans Club House .....20c

Sunny Jim Bran Dandies, the better Bran Flakes, pkg 15c

6X Powdered Sugar, never lumpy, lb ..10c

Butter Nut Jell Powder, made with pure fruit flavors and will congeal quickly. Assorted flavors, pacakge .....10c

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES Arrive Daily.

Head Lettuce, 2 heads.....25c
Leaf Lettuce, pound .....35c
Celery, large bunches.....20c
Fresh Tomatoes, pound.....25c
Green Onions, bunch .....10c
Cauliflower, pound .....15c
New Beets, bunch .....10c
Green Mangoes, 3 for .....25c
Fresh Spinach, 2 lbs.....25c
Carrots, bunch .....10c
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs.....25c

Butter Nut, the coffee delicious—
1 lb.....55c 3 lbs $1.60 10lb pail $5.25
Peaberry Coffee, a straight blend, lb 40c
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Shredded Cocoanut, large white shreds, pound .....35c

Spanish Pimentos, small tins .....10c
Large tins .....15c

O Cedar Polish, regular 60c bottles..50c

Onion Sets, 2 Qts. 25c
Garden Seeds, standard packets .....5c

Matches, carton of 6 boxes for .....20c

Shredded Wheat, package .....10c

Standard A Flour, made from Kansas hard wheat, 24 lb sacks .....$1.10
48 lb sack.....$2.00

Irish Cobbler and certified Red River Ohio Seed Potatoes.

For Tuesday P. M. and Wednesday: Lamb, Pig Hearts, Brains and Flank Steaks.

Pork Chops, small ones, per pound .30c
Pure Pork Sausage, by the lb .....20c
Pork Tenderloin.

Dark Syrup, Kamo, ½ gallon .....25c

Boiled Ham, lb...65c
Liver Pudding, lb 25c
Dried Beef, wafer sliced, lb .....60c

Turtle Brand Red Kidney Beans ...15c
Stringless Green Beans, 2 for.....35c

Pork Steak, lb...25c

Fresh Side Pork, pound .....25c

Fresh Spare Ribs, by the pound .....22c



# REMUS

## Tuesday and Wednesday

McLaughlin's Kept Fresh Coffee Service.
Buy your coffee in bulk, have it ground fresh for you, gives you better coffee for less money.
Gem 37c; Merido 44c; Diamond 49c

Flour—Top Notch flour, made from first grade Kansas hard wheat, insures you the best for all kinds of baking.
48 lb. sack $1.90 24 lb. sack $1.00

**Butter** — Nodaway Creamery, pound 46c

**Post Toasties** — Large size packages, 2 for 25c

**Macaroni** — Sea Shell Macaroni in bulk, 2 pounds 25c

**Peanut Butter** — Chase's best grade in bulk, pound 20c

**Sugar** — 25 lb. cloth sacks Pure Cane Sugar $1.75

**Oranges** — California Sweet Navals, dozen 40c

**Grape Fruit** — Florida thin skin, good size, juicy, each 10c

**Cauliflower** — Nice heads, well trimmed, pound 20c

**Cabbage** — New solid heads, pound 5c

**Tomatoes, Corn, Peas** — No. 2 cans strictly standard quality Tomatoes, Corn or Peas, buy all you want, can 10c

**Potatoes** — Minnesota genuine Red River Valley pure seed potatoes. These are fancy stock; see them before you buy. Per bushel $2.00; Two bushel sack $3.90

**Calumet Baking Powder** — 16 oz. can Calumet 28c

**Lard** — Morrell's Pure Leaf open kettle rendered, 2 lbs. net weight of lard 35c

**Bran Dandies** — Something new, Sunny Jim Bran Dandies—two packages 25c

**Liquid Veneer or O Cedar Polish** — House cleaning time and you can buy a large bottle of either O-Cedar or Liquid Veneer for 48c

**Blueing** — Mrs. Stewart's Bottle Blueing, bottle 15c

**Pork and Beans** — Full quart can Richelieu Brand finest quality Pork and Beans 20c

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100 lb. sack Quisenberry Starting Mash $4.70
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No. 2½ size Sliced Pineapple .....30c
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No. 2 size Club House fancy Crosby Corn .....15c
No. 2 size Briardale Whole Kernel Corn .....20c
No. 2 size Standard Corn..10c
No. 2 size Club House or Briardale Red Kidney Beans .....13c
No. 2 size Briardale Pork and Beans .....10c
No. 2 size Van Camp's Pork and Beans .....12c
No. 2 size Midwest Peas...15c Very small sieve.
Quart jar English Style Mustard .....25c
¼ size Curtis White Tuna 20c
½ size Blue Sea Tuna....30c
Pint size American Dry Ginger Ale .....25c
Pint size Welch Grape Juice .....40c
Pint size York Vinegar...15c
Pint size Heinz Cider Vinegar .....20c
Borden's Eagle Milk.....23c
Carnation Milk, tall.....12c
Briardale Milk, tall.....10c
12 oz. Rumford Baking Powder with Souvenir Spoon 25c
3 pkgs. Briardale Jell Powder .....25c
Raspberry, Strawberry, Lemon Orange, Cherry.
2 pkgs. Royal Geletine....25c All flavors.
1 lb can Watkin's Cocoa...30c
3 lb bulk Cocoa .....25c
1 lb bulk Jap Tea.....65c
1 lb bulk Gunpowder Tea 60c
Briardale Catsup, 8 oz....15c
Briardale Catsup, 14 oz....25c
Mamas Pancake Flour, 20 ozs. .....10c
Briardale fancy Blue Rose Rice, 2 lb carton.....25c
Club House Honduras Style Head Rice, 1 lb carton..15c
2 lb fibre container fancy selected Great Northern Beans .....25c
3 lb hand picked Michigan Beans .....25c
2 lb fancy California Lima Beans .....25c
Briardale Oats, small.....10c
Briardale Oats, large.....25c
Post Toasties, large.....15c
Kellogg Corn Flakes, large 15c
Quaker Yellow Corn Meal 15c
Cream of Wheat .....25c
Wheatena .....25c
2 pkgs. Post Bran.....25c
2 pkgs. All Bran .....25c
2 pkgs. Kellogg's Bran Flakes.....25c
2 pkgs. Kellogg's Pep....25c
2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat..25c
2 pkgs. Graham Muffin Flour .....25c
2 pkgs. Grape Nuts.....35c
3 pkgs. Briardale Cut Macaroni .....25c
3 pkgs. Briardale Spaghetti 25c
3 pkgs. Briardale Noodles 25c

Fresh Side Pork, lb.....25c
Fresh Hamburger, pound.....15c
Fresh Sausage, pound.....20c
Fresh Pork Chops, pound.....30c
Fresh Pork Steak, pound.....25c
Sirloin of Beef (Steak) pound.....30c
Fancy Chuck Steaks, pound.....25c
Prime Rib Roasts, pound.....20c
Fancy Chuck Roasts, pound.....20c
Plate Boiling Beef, pound.....15c
3 large Dill Pickles.....10c
Fresh Honey, 2 frames.....35c
Green Onions, bunch.....10c
New Beets, bunch.....10c
New Carrots, bunch.....10c
Celery, bunch.....20c
Head Lettuce (2 for 25c) bunch.....15c
Leaf Lettuce, pound.....30c
Parsnips, pound.....5c
New Cabbage, pound.....5c

8 bars Big Four Naptha Soap.....25c
2 cans Kitchen Cleanser.....15c
2 cans Lighthouse Cleanser.....15c
3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser.....25c
3 rolls G. W. C. Toilet Paper.....25c
2 sacks Table Salt.....15c

COFFEE COFFEE COFFEE
Chase & Sanborn Peaberry, lb.....40c
Briardale Blend, pound.....50c
Chase & Sanbord Seal Brand, lb.....60c
Hills Bros. Red Vacuum, can.....60c
Folger's Golden Gate, lb.....60c
Golden Wedding, pound.....60c
Maxwell House, pound.....55c
Kaffee Hag, pound.....75c

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# SOCIETY

## CLUB AND CHURCH CALENDAR

**Tuesday**

Maryville branch, American Association of University Women, regular meeting in recreation room of State Teachers College, 7:30 p. m.; hostesses will be Miss Anna M. Painter, Miss Laura B. Hawkins and Mrs. H. Frank Lawrence.

Mary Graham Chapter, Delphian Society, meets with Mrs. F. S. King; program on Early French Painters.

Foreign Missionary Societies of First Methodist Church, 6:30 o'clock luncheon followed by program in observance of Founders Day.

**Wednesday**

Neighborly Club, Mrs. Purl Edwards hostess.

Pickering Needlework Club meets with Mrs. Gordon Swinford.

Lyle Community Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Dick Maurer.

Ireland Industrial Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. John Deardorff.

Social Hour Club, Mrs. Fred Markt hostess.

Skidmore Neighborly Club meets with Mrs. Hallie Reynolds; Mrs. Nina Geyer program leader.

Highland Club, home of Mrs. W. M. Mires.

Xenia B. T. W. Club meets with Mrs. Bryan Hanna.

Liberty Valley Homemakers Club, community house; roll call, Edgar Guest poems.

**Thursday**

Ladies Aid Soceity of First Methodist Church, annual "states" dinner in church dining room.

B. B. Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Ed Russell; roll call, Irish jokes.

C. C. Club of Swallow district, Mrs. James McGinuess hostess.

Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club meets with Mrs. James Jones.

L. A. W. Club of Myrtle Tree neighborhood, home of Mrs. Alva Pride; roll call, jokes.

Union Homemakers Club, Mrs. W. T. Ramsey hostess.

L. I. Club meets with Mrs. Mary Ewing; Mrs. Maude Upschulte and Mrs. Bertha Wilson program leaders.

W. N. Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Robert Dew.

Mt. Pleasant Industrial Art Club meets with Mrs. Addie Hackett.

Parnell M. M. Club, home of Mrs. W. A. Jasper.

**Friday**

Woman's Home Missionary Society of First Methodist Church meets with Mrs. George P. Wright, 222 West Thompson street, 2:30 p. m.; assisting hostesses will be Mrs. A. C. Nicholas, Mrs. Robert Aley, Mrs. J. J. Knabb and Mrs. George Lucas; Mrs. Laura Sue Rittenour will be program leader.

**Saturday**

Chapter L. P. E. O., regular meeting at home of Mrs. C. C. Corwin; musical program in charge of Mrs. Bernhardt Bronson.

### Mrs. Evans Hostess.

The Thursday Afternoon Progressive Club will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. M. Evans.

### D. A. R. Meeting

The March meeting of the Maryville Chapter, D. A. R., will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Toel, with Miss Kate Willis, Mrs. W. B. Owen and Mrs. W. O. Garrett as joint hostesses.

### Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Day, living northeast of Maryville, entertained at 1 o'clock dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Orval Harris and sons, Vincent and Gerald, of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tobin and daughter, Miss Thelma Tobin, Miss Marguerite Riley of Hamilton, Miss Lora O'Day of Clyde, and Leo O'Day of Parnell.

### Hostess at Dinner.

Mrs. W. L. Gray entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at the Charles A. Jensen residence at 322 West Fifth street. Those entertained were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Purviance, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Purviance and children, Nadene, Burnetta, Harold and Helen, Miss Jennie Pruviance, Shirley Gray, and Charles A. Jensen and daughters, Ruth and Mildred Jensen.

### Entertain at Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, jr., entertained members of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club and their husbands Saturday night at their home, north of Maryville. Mrs. P. R. Jones and Frank Schumacher won the high-score prizes in the bridge game. Additional guests were Miss Hilah Snyder of St. Joseph, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Theodore Robinson, and Miss Mabel Craig.

### Surprise Birthday Dinner.

A surprise 12 o'clock dinner was given yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jones in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Jones and son, Chester. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Argo, Mr. and Mrs. Will Argo, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Argo of Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seckington and son, David, of St. Joseph, Miss Opal Jones, Richard Argo, Harold Argo, Ivan Argo, James Argo, Harold Jones, Viola Jones and B. F. Jones.

### Tri Sig Officers

Miss Garland Groom was elected president of Alpha Epsilon chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma, national teachers college sorority, Saturday afternoon. Other officers are: Miss Ilene Wethered, vice-president; Miss Virginia Nicholas, recording secretary; Miss Katherine Mills, corresponding secretary; Miss Rebecca Briggs, treasurer; Miss Mary Todd, Triangle correspondent; Miss Sue Hankins, sentinel.

Mrs. Homer Ball of Holden, Mo., national treasurer, who was a member of the installation team, left for her home this morning. Miss Stella Thompson and Miss Mildred Humphreys of Warrensburg and Miss Viola Magee of Kirksville, other members of the team, left yesterday morning.

### Patterson Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson were hosts at a dinner yesterday, entertaining as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett and sons, William, Roland and Oren, Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers and daughters, Ruth Marjorie and Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. Serenus Jenson and son, Roy.

### Music and Literature Program

The music and literature department of the Twentieth Century Club will hold an open session Wednesday afternoon in the auditorium of the State Teachers College. "The Piper Pays," a one-act play by Margaret Cameron will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Noid. The musical program will include piano selections by Mrs. Carrie Margaret Caldwell and T. H. Anneit and a vocal solo by Mrs. F. M. Townsend.

The regular meeting of the executive board will be held at the close of the program.

### Meet at Wells Home.

The meeting of the Rockford Community Club Thursday afternoon will be held with Mrs. W. R. Wells instead of Mrs. Cal Williams.

## Miss Margaret Dietz Produces Operetta

**Merrill, Wis., Newspaper Praises Work of Maryville Girl as Musical Supervisor**

Miss Margaret Dietz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dietz, musical supervisor of the Merrill, Wis., high school, directed an operetta, "The Pirate's Daughter," a legend of old Holland, at Merrill Friday night. The following, in part, is what the Merrill paper had to say about the operetta:

"The operetta, "The Pirate's Daughter," was presented with much success last evening by the members of the Merrill High School glee clubs and orchestra. From the opening overture by the orchestra to the finale chorus, the operetta entertained the large audience with musical numbers, excellently given, and with an array of charming scenes in which the costumes were as varied as the operetta was picturesque.

"Miss Margaret Dietz, musical supervisor of the city schools, directed the operetta.

"While the individuals in the play deserve much praise for the efforts displayed in putting across their roles with so much success, Miss Dietz must be credited with not only giving the Merrill High School a real orchestra but in putting so much color and vivacity in this operetta, the selection of which for this particular occassion was also most fortunate.

"The High School student body presented a rousing parade yesterday afternoon to remind town folks of this event. The parade was led by the city's fire truck, which was followed by several floats and a long line of automobiles and bicycles."

## Self-Contentment Is Tragedy, Says Dewar

**Dinner For Men And Every-Member Canvass Held Following Morning Service.**

"The supreme tragedy of life, and the one out of which most others grow, as they affect man's spiritual life, is that of being content to try to live one's life without God," declared the Rev. W. N. Dewar, minister at the First Presbyterian Church, yesterday in his talk on "The Tragedy of Contentment."

"You can afford to be content with much that is your lot in life, but you are enacting a tragedy if you are content with yourself as you are today.

"I remember," said Mr. Dewar, "reading a sermon by Dr. Macleod on the text, "Awake thou that sleepest and arise from the dead."

"There is a sleep which is death. It is the sleep of the soul. The soul asleep in itself, not yet conscious of God, the great worker of all time.

"There were such in Jesus' time. One said to him, 'let me go and bury my father!' 'Follow me' said Jesus, 'let the dead bury the dead.' Yes, there are those who are spiritually dead. Those in whom no consciousness of God has awakened those who are living in a Godless universe.

"That is the sleep of tragic contentment.

"We can't afford to be like that. God is in his universe now—working all the time, but greater than that, 'God is in you, and will work out with you the eternal destiny of your own immortal life, if you will let Him, and work with Him. My father worketh hitherto, even until now, I work also.'"

A dinner for the men of the church was held after the morning service yesterday and in the afternoon an every-member canvass was made.

## Maryville Persons to Chiropractic Meeting

The meeting to celebrate the legalization of chiropractic in Missouri was held by the Northwest District Chiropractors' Association at the Chamber of Commerce rooms in St. Joseph yesterday. Dr. Iola Warehime, Dr. J. A. Anderson and Dr. S. S. Murdock of Maryville were in attendance.

Dr. John Stephens, president and Dr. Tom Maher, secretary of the Missouri State Chiropractors' Association, were the speakers of the day. Dr. Murdock gave a talk on "The Obligation of Legalized Chiropractice."

This meeting marks the end of a long fight for recognition by chiropractors in Missouri.

## Beautiful---But Very Smart

Miss Virginia Wallar, of Caney, Kas., has been chosen queen of the annual Tulsa, Okla., Rose Carnival May 20 and 21, and this picture seems to prove the judges were men of wisdom. But Miss Wallar is very smart as well as beautiful. As a student in Kansas State Agricultural College she has been presented with a sorority ring awarded each year to the co-ed making the best scholastic record among the 2500 girls of the institution.

## Paul Buhler Buys Jenkins Street Lots

Paul F. Buhler has bought a portion of lots five and six, fronting on Jenkins street, west of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, from that denomination.

The warranty deed, filed with the recorder today, gave the consideration as $750, with the reservations that so long as the remainder of the lots were used for church purposes no other than a dwelling be erected on the property. It provided that a private garage may be built on the south end of the lots.

## A Masonic Lecturer to Be Here Next Week

J. R. McLaehlin of Kahoka, Mo., grand lecturer of the grand lodge of the state of Missouri, A. F. & A. M., will be in Maryville March 28 and 29 for the purpose of conducting a school of instruction.

All Masonic lodges in the county are urged to send as many representatives from their lodges to Maryville as are able to attend the instructions.

The radio commission may be classed as a failure. They've been in office a couple of weeks now, and haven't done a thing about "Valencia."

Christian Church, tomorrow night, 8 o'clock, sixth lecture course, sacred concert, 64 trained voices from the State Teachers college, under direction of Charles R. Gardner, admission, adults 25c, children 10c.—Advertisement.


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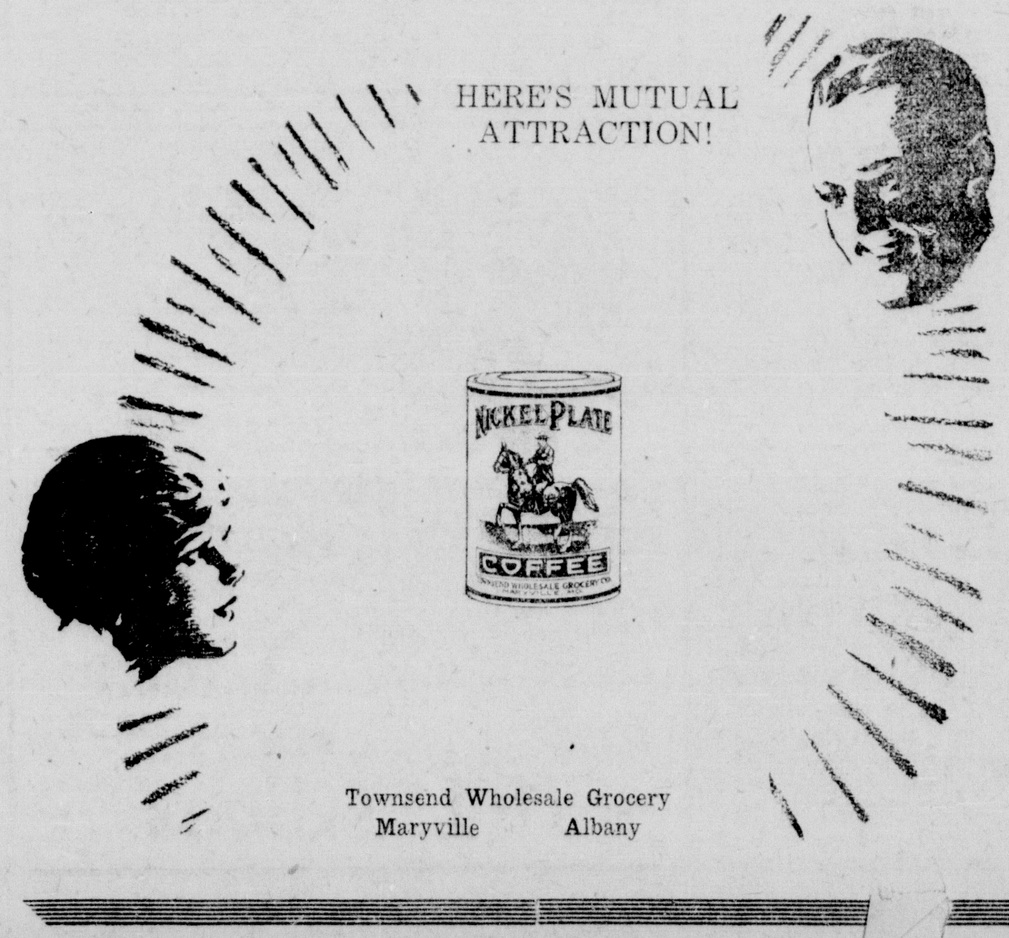


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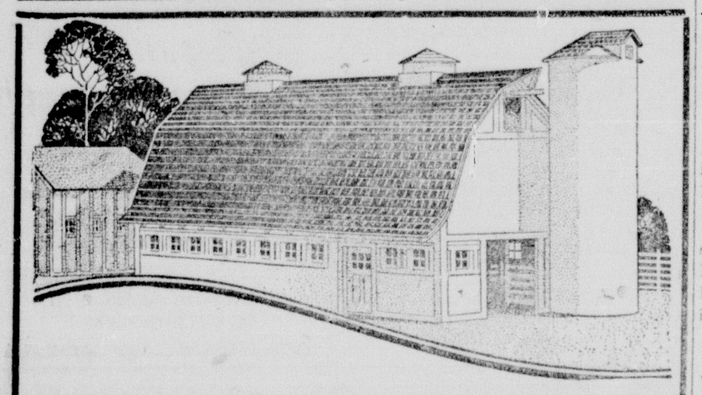

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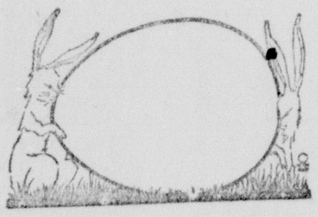

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## Fellowship of Prayer

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Topic for the week
"SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT"
Monday
"Our Inner Impulses Are Significant."

SCRIPTURE: Read — Psalms 42. "He that believeth on the Son of God hath the witness in himself" (I Jn. 5:10). "That which is known of God is manifest in them (Rom. 1:19). "As the heart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God" (Ps. 42:1). "Now faith is assurance of things hoped for, a conviction of things not seen" (Heb. 11:1).

See—I Kings 19:12; Psalms 14:1; Revelations 1:12; Jeremiah 20:9.

MEDITATION: We talk to an infant. The infant simply hears sounds. Slowly he realizes that there is meaning in these sounds. After months he begins to interpret that meaning. More frequently he misinterprets it; but he learns. Likewise as spiritual infants we have a babel of feelings, emotions, impulses, but these have meanings. We need time to interpret those meanings; and if we misinterpret, it is not strange. All the while, however, God is knocking, and we are yearning to understand.

"I know by the craving of my heart that Thou must be at the door."

PRAYER: Pray for—inner sense of God; freedom from anxiety; the heavy laden; the intemperate.

Collect—Lord of all truth, whose mind is quick and powerful, we praise Thee for the universe, so vast, so orderly, so dependable. We bless Thee for the persons of men and the powers of friendship in them and us, but yet more for friendship with Thyself, for fellowship with Thy Son, and for Thy pervading presence with us in the Holy Spirit. Precious are the moments of intimate intercourse with Thee. Reprove us, we entreat Thee, for the pursuit of things to the forgetting of friendships human and divine. Give us the discriminating mind which detects the subtlies of sin and the beauty of holiness. So shall we know victory in the conflict. Therefore we covenant with Thee to put first things first by the grace of Christ. Amen.

## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore of Graham were Maryville visitors today.

Joe Phipps, Arthur Garrett, John Curfman and Eugene Busby went to Kansas City today.

John Murrin spent the week end in Atchison, Kan., with his son, Dr. J. O. Murrin, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jennings of Stanberry were in Maryville today to consult a Maryville physician.

Misses Elva and Sadie Aley went to Topeka, Kan., Sunday evening to visit their brother, Henderson Aley, and Mrs. Aley, a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell of Wilcox visited Mrs. Shell's sister, Mrs. Ida White, at the St. Francis Hospital here yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. H. J. Dunshee and son of Stanberry spent the week end in Maryville with Mrs. Dunshee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Godsey.

Miss Eva Marie Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bailey, who has been ill for some time, entered St. Francis Hospital today for an operation.

Miss Mae Corwin who has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin, returned to Kansas City this morning where she is studying voice.

### What Jerry Says

When we think we're doing some good deed,
Supplying any long felt need,
And as we work we sing a song,
Then some joy killer comes along.

Last Sunday as I cleaned my walk
Of snow, Doc Stinson stopped to talk,
And said the good Lord sent that sleet,
And put it right there on the street.

And if he didn't want it there,
He could have put it anywhere—
(In Wisconsin or in Iowa)
And though I ought to let it stay.

He said we should not interfere
With what the Lord was doing here,
For when the Lord would have it done,
He'd clear the skies and send the sun.

Now wouldn't argument like that
Knock all your good intentions flat;
No wonder folks don't clean their walk,
When joy killers put up such talk.

## This and That

She: "My father gives me a dollar every birthday. I now have 18."

He: "How much does he still owe you?"

It is rumored that Martin Lewis, jr., our new cleaner, is considering changing his dog's name to "Spot."

A hand-painted cocoanut from Miami, Florida, came this morning for Mrs. James Cummings. It was the gift of Mrs. Virgil Keene who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lamar in Miami. The nut has a hand-painted scene of the ocean with sunset, ship and sea gulls in the distance and a cocoanut tree, nuts and tropical foliage in the foreground. The nut is thirteen inches across and 26 inches around.

A secret weakness almost always is disclosed in the course of a career on the screen.

A well-known screen heroine lost her chance to play in a big picture because she was afraid of mice. A villain was thrown out of a cast because children couldn't be made to like him. A vegetarian actor lost a part because the smell of hot steak made him ill, and a lady comic who couldn't smoke a cigar like a veteran lost what might have been the greatest chance of her career.

We are gently reminded at morning worship yesterday of a typesetter's error on the church page Friday which announced that the Rev. W. N. Dewar would talk on "The Tragedy of the Continent."

The Reverend Mr. Dewar, otherwise known as A. R. B. (Another Robbie Burns) talked on "The Tragedy of Contentment."

Ruth rode in my new cycle car
In the seat in back of me;
I took a bump at fifty-five,
And rode on Ruthlessly.
—Boston Transcript.

A Maryville woman called the Democrat-Forum office today to ask where the fire was yesterday morning. A frantic search was made for smouldering embers or other signs of conflagration. Fire Chief Rowley knew nothing of the fire.

It was later learned that the woman heard the Sweeney Automotive and Electrical School at "Kansas City, Missouri, the Heart of America," signing off with their usual siren and thought it was the local fire siren.

## Ford's Editor

Here is William J. Cameron, editor of the Dearborn Independent, Henry Ford's weekly newspaper. Articles in this paper led Aaron Sapiro, organizer of farm co-operative organizations, to sue Ford for $1,000,000.

THE GREAT WAR
TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.
(By United Press).

March 21.

President Wilson summons Congress to assemble April 2, "to receive a communication concerning grave matters of national policy."

All military and naval preparations for actual war under way.

Czar and family placed under arrest.

## Baseball Dope Book Published for 1927

Departure of the major league players for their various training camps may be likened to the first blast of the herald's trumpet announcing the arrival of Spring. But the actual entry of this season is marked by the appearance of the first baseball schedule and record book, which this year, as in the past, is The Dope Book, published by C. C. Spink & Son, St. Louis, Mo., publishers of "The Sporting News."

Pennant winners of all leagues, batting and pitching champions, averages of the majors for 1926, salient figures of the past, and complete rosters of all clubs in the majors are also given.

In addition to these features, the book carries instructions on how to score a game. Schedules of many of the more important leagues are also given.

### Move To Great Bend, Kan.

Guy Rounds left Friday morning for Great Bend, Kan., where he will be employed by the Birdwell Company. Mrs. Rounds and daughter, Fay will leave soon to join Mr. Rounds at Great Bend.

### Prather to St. Joseph.

The Rev. Guy L. Prather is in St. Joseph today where he is attending a meeting of Baptist ministers of the Northwest Missouri District. The meeting lasts only one day.

Mrs. Arthur Fisher of Fisher, Kan., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Orcutt, left yeesterday morning for her home.

### Italian Aviator Resumes Flight.

Rio de Janeiro, March 21.—Francisco de Pinedo, Italian transatlantic aviator, left Manaos today for Para, Brazil.

## AUNT HET

"Fannie says she despises gossip, but my notion is that gossipin' ain't no worse than lyin' about not likin' it."

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# CAPE SCHOOL IN NEW FIGHT

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE REGENTS OF SOUTHEAST S. T. C.

## POLITICS IS CHARGED

**Ousting of President Dearmont in 1921 Is Recalled.—St. Louis Police Board Head Also Opposed.**

Jefferson City, Mo., March 21.—The fourteen Democratic Senators who voted Friday night to reject Gov. Baker's Board of Penal Institutions, voted also to reject James A. Finch of New Madrid, president of the Association of Young Republicans, and H. J. Talbot, St. Louis County, as members of the Board of Regents of Cape Girardeau Teachers' College.

It requires eighteen votes to reject an appointment and unless four of the remaining seven vote against Finch and Talbot they will be confirmed. Talbot is a Democrat.

Senator Dwight H. Brown of Poplar Bluff led the fight against Finch and Talbot on the ground they joined with a majority of the Board of Regents, as constituted in 1921, to oust W. S. Dearmont as president of the Teachers' College. Brown asserts that Dearmont, who had served more than twenty years as the president, was deposed for political reasons.

When the Finch and the Talbot confirmations came up for vote in the caucus, Senators Wammack and Brown are said not to have participated in the voting, but they are bound by the caucus action.

**Orrick Fight Discussed.**

Russell L. Dearmont of Cape Girardeau, chairman of the executive Committee of the Democratic State Committee, has been here urging the move to depose Finch and Talbot.

The caucus also discussed the fight led by Senator William Maffitt Bates, St. Louis, on Allen C. Orrick, president of the St. Louis Police Board. He has notified Senator Kinney, chairman of the Municipal Corporations Committee, of his hostility to Orrick, and has asked to be heard.

The position of the Democratic Senate leaders is understood to be that if Bates, who is a Republican, is opposed to the confirmation of Orrick, also a Republican and a resident of his district, that they would be disposed to support him in his drive to defeat Orrick for confirmation. Bates' opposition to Orrick is political.

There was a flareup early in the Orrick police regime because the police whether directed by the board or not, had raided some lotto games in south St. Louis. These, it was contended, were conducted by churches, were charitable in intent.

**Warner Opposes Orrick.**

Senator Frank B. Warner announced early in the session he would oppose the confirmation of Orrick but Warner is now making no fight. Orrick seemed to have plain sailing until Bates' opposition developed.

Democratic Senate committees, before which appointments and House bills are pending, will meet Tuesday afternoon, Senator Painter, majority leader announced today.

## Congregations Are Visionless, Mitchell

**"When God Becomes Real, Service Becomes Real?" Pastor Tells South Methodists.**

"The most definite and conscious moment in our lives is when we tranfer our loyalty from money, pleasure, fame or whatever idol we may worship, to the true and living God," the Rev. R. A. Mitchell of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, told his congregation yesterday when he talked on "Christ—A Revelation of God."

"There is a certain type of fundamentalist who believes in a God who is all heart and no brain.

"There is a type of modernist who believes in a God who is all brain and no heart.

"Neither of these schools of though inquire what is true and what is real, and after all is said, that alone matters.

"The average church congregation is visionless. A great many people hear the preacher, sing hymns, repeat creeds, join in prayers and then go away from the church without a vision of God or a realization of the presence of God.

"One of the things the church needs today is the recovery of the vivid consciousness of God. God must become real or religion loses its power for good.

"When God becomes real, service becomes real.

"When we have seen God, every power within us is lifted up and every service and sacrifice becomes our greatest joy."

Glen E. Cryder of St. Joseph spent a few days in Maryville last week with relatives and friends.

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Fox Trot *With Vocal Refrain*
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*Played on the Wurlitzer Organ*
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# LEAGUE ARMS BODY MEETS

COOLIDGE LIMITATION POLICY HANGS IN BALANCE.

## U. S. NOTE NEW FACTOR

Three or Five-Power Naval Agreement May Be Accepted as Part of League's Plan.

Geneva, March 21.—With the meeting here today of the Preparatory Disarmament Commission of the League of Nations, President Coolidge's naval disarmament policy was admittedly hanging in the balance.

The commission convened in a decided atmosphere of perplexity.

With the meeting summoned originally for the purpose of drafting the League's international disarmament convention on the basis of studies made during the past year, President Coolidge's sudden five-power pact disarmament proposal has changed entirely the whole character not only of the present session but of the commission itself.

Although a hard fight will be made to hold the commission down to the original ends for which it was convoked, and with every reason to believe that this will eventually be done, nevertheless it is admitted that the new element injected into the meeting by the American naval disarmament note cannot be passed over without the most serious attention.

In spite of the rather negative replies made to the note by various of the original powers to which it was addressed, it is expected that the American delegation, headed by Hugh Gibson, will put up a hard fight to carry off at least a partial victory.

**Rejection Would Be Blow.**

The complete rejection of the American thesis—comprising President Coolidge's international naval disarmament policy—following the rejection of his efforts to join the League court with reservations, would, it is admitted, constitute a serious defeat for him in foreign policy.

Besides the fight which Gibson will put up for at least a reasonable victory, there is also a large element amongst the other delegates that is keenly anxious to give the United States as much satisfaction as possible, first in the interests of disarmament and secondly in the interests of encouraging the United States' continued and friendly cooperation with the League.

Among this element the principal solution being discussed today was the possibility of a tentative three-power or five-power naval agreement which could either be incorporated into the League's general disarmament convention as a whole or made effective and contingent upon the latter going into force.

It was asserted that this procedure would give the United States a large measure of satisfaction and would in no way detract from the prestige of the League in handling the disarmament problem.

The nations represented on the commission that convened today are:

Argentine, Belgium, Brazil, England, Bulgaria, Chile, Czecho-Slovakia, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Serbia, Holland, Poland, Roumania, Spain, Sweden, the United States and Uruguay.

**To Keep to Original Aim.**

Regardless of what the final decision may be relative to the American proposal, it is certain that the commission will not be distracted from the carrying out of its original object. This is the final drafting, after just one year of preparation by numerous disarmament commissions, and sub-commissions, covering all of the military, naval, aerial, of disarmament, of a draft disarmament economic political and financial aspects of disarmament, of a draft disarmament convention, intended to be world-wide in its application.

The preparation of the past year was based upon a series of seven questions laid down by the League council as follows:

1. What is to be understood by the expression "armaments?"

2. Is it practicable to limit ultimate war strength of a country, or must any measures of disarmament be confined to peace strength?

3. By what standards is it possible to measure the armaments of one country against the armaments of another, e. g., numbers, periods of service, equipment, expenditure, etc.?

4. Can there be said to be "offensive" and "defensive" armaments?

5. On what principle will it be possible to draw up a scale of armaments permissible to the various countries, taking into account particularly, population, resources, geographical position, maritime communications, railways, volunerability of frontiers and time required for transforming from peace to war time armaments?

6. Is there any device by which civil and military aircraft can be distinguished for the purposes of disarmament?

7. Admitting that disarmament depends on security, to what extent is regional disarmament possible in return for regional security?

**Reports Voluminous.**

During the course of the year's preparation by the various commissions and sub-commissions these seven fundamental questions gave rise in turn to numerous other questions, which likewise were referred to special commissions usually of experts and technicians. Yet so great was the divergency of viewpoint, that there was not virtually a single question on which a unanimous decision was reached.

Under these circumstances the final reports as turned over to the Preparatory Commission today embrace hundreds and hundreds of pages giving the general findings of all the committees and sub-committees together with the individual declarations of the various delegations that were not able to agree with the general finding.

Out of this mass of studies, research work, expert opinions, governmental declarations, etc., the preparatory commission will undertake to draft a general disarmament convention that will go as far as the nations of the world seem to be disposed to go at the present time.

The convention will then be submitted to all the governments of the world for observation and the final disarmament conference summoned for this fall or early next year.

## Smile a While With Cal

A smile on the President's face these days is a cheering rarity as the cares of his office seem to weigh with increasing heaviness upon his naturally solemn disposition. But he hasn't forgotten how to smile. This close-up proves that, conclusively.

## The Blues and Little Girl Blue

Here is the first photo ever taken of Mr. and Mrs. Monte Blue with their daughter, Barbara Ann. The picture was taken just after Monte came off the "set" after making a scene for a picture.


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## *Winter Ends at 8:59 o'Clock Today; Astronomer Tells Why*

This morning at 8:59 o'clock, winter officially ended and spring is here, the astronomer says.

However, this section of the country has been having a touch of winter weather. The lowest temperature this morning was 24 degrees above zero, according to C. E. Wells, who is in charge of the government weather instruments in the absence of J. R. Brink official observer.

A Science Service Bulletin had the following:

This morning, March 21, at 9:59 o'clock, Eastern Standard time, (8:59 Maryville time), winter officially ended and spring is with us, the astronomer says. But why does he choose this particular moment? What happens then that enables us to fix so precisely the beginning of a season?

The answer is found in the wanderings of the sun. Unlike the stars the sun does not remain in the same part of the sky from one end of the year to another. The sun, and the stars as well, rise and set daily because the earth revolves on its axis. The earth turns from west to east, but as we do not realize that this motion is taking place, the sun, and other heavenly objects, seem to move across the sky from east to west. But the daily turning of the earth is not the only motion of our globe. Once a year it makes a circuit of the heavens around the sun.

However, just as we are unaware of the daily motion of the earth and interpret it is a motion of the heavenly bodies, so are we unaware of the yearly motion of the earth around the sun. It seems as if the sun itself moves among the stars once a year. The path of the sun is the same as that of the planets, and is called the ecliptic. This is one of the imaginary lines which astronomers have placed in the heavens for their convenience, and another is the equator, which is directly over the equator of the earth.

If we imagine the earth to revolve around the sun in its orbit on a flat table, the axis on which the earth revolves is not perfectly vertical. It is inclined at an angle of 23½ degrees from a vertical line, and as a result, the ecliptic is inclined to the equator in the sky. As the sun moves around the ecliptic, it crosses the equator twice in the year, in March and in September. The former is called the vernal equinox, and today the sun is at this position.

As the sun, at the equinoxes, sets directly in the west and rises in the east, because it is right over the equator, the day and night at this time is just the same length. This, in fact, is the origin of the name, for equinox means "equal nights" in Latin.

## Macon in Campaign to Revive C. of C.

Macon, Mo., March 21.—Organizations of Macon are making a wholehearted effort to revive the Macon Chamber of Commerce. The movement, started by the Kiwanis club, now has the support of Lodge No. 999, B. P. O. E., and of business men of the community. A widespread membership campaign is being planned.

**Ed Gray To Denver.**

E. W. Gray left yesterday for Scotts Pluff, Neb., on a business trip. He expected to go on to Denver to meet his brother, H. Otis Gray, who is interested in banks at Sulphur Springs and Kremmling, Colo. Mr. Gray will probably return the latter part of this week.

**Announce Birth of Son.**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeFreece of Parnell, announce the birth of a son, Saturday night.

## Trenton Undertakes City Beautification

Two Prize Contests Included In Campaign Of Commercial Club And Business Women.

Trenton, Mo., March 21.—Featured by two prize contests, a seven-fold civic beautification program has been mapped out by the Business and Professional Women's club, which will be undertaken in co-operation with the annual clean-up campaign sponsored by the Trenton Commercial club, assisted by the Kiwanis club.

One prize, amount to be determined, will be offered the school pupils planting and cultivating the best flower garden, and a prize of $20 will be given the church which shows the most improvement in building and grounds during the season.

## Webster Groves Wins Girls' Debate Final

Smithville Team Is Defeated By St. Louis County Champions In Fulton Tournament.

Fulton, Mo., March 21.—Miss Eleanor Claggett and Miss Nancy McComb, champion high school debaters of St. Louis County continued their successes here Saturday night when they defeated Wilma McComb and Juanita Venrick, representing the Smithville high school in the final debate in the week's tournament that was conducted here under the auspices of William Woods college and open to high school girls team of Missouri. Twenty teams had entered. The Webster Groves girls defended the negative side of the world court question.

**Dr. James To Kansas City.**

Dr. C. C. James of the First Methodist Church is in Kansas City today at a meeting called by Bishop E. L. Waldorf.


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# All at Sea

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NEA FICTION

by Carolyn Wells

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Death strikes GARRETT FOLSOM while swimming at Ocean Town, N. J. It is thought at first that he is a stroke victim, but investigation shows he has been stabbed to death under the water.

Folsom's swimming companions were ROGER NEVILLE, a business partner; MRS. HELEN BARNABY and CARMELITA VALDON. Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to NED BARRON, known as the copper king.

ANASTASIA FOLSOM, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is learned that the death weapon was a pichaq, an Oriential knife, and it had been bought on the boardwalk.

It is also learned that one CROYDON SEARS, who was in Barron's party, is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasia engages TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to work on the case. DAN PELTON, the dead man's nephew, arrives and is intrigued by the curious French dolls in Folsom's room.

He believes his uncle had been blackmailing several people and he and Riggs discover suspicious documents in Folsom's effects, bearing the initials of Croydon Sears.

Riggs and Pelton meet MADELINE, wife of Ned Barron, and Riggs is puzzled at her nervousness.

Carmelita Valdon admits that she is anxious to recover some letters that were in Folsom's possession. A remark from Riggs nettles her and she leaves.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER 31

Carmelita evinced no anger, made no quick or peevish motion, but as she went off the Duchess observed:

"She's mad clear through. See it sticking out of her back!"

"She'll get over it," said Neville, carelessly. "Now, Riggs, cards on the table. Want the Duchess to stay?"

"As she wishes."

"I'll go then," said Mrs. Barnaby rose, with an air of relief. "Had you wanted me to go, I should have stayed, and I know I'd be bored to death."

With her wide, seemingly vapid, but really wise smile, she followed the direction Carmelita had taken.

"Great little old woman," and Neville looked at Riggs.

"Does she know anything?"

"Everything."

"I don't mean generally speaking. I mean about the Folsom murder."

"Good Lord, no! How should she?"

"I don't know how she should, but that doesn't argue that she doesn't."

"She may for all I can say—I've really not talked to her about it."

Tite Riggs watched his man, for in a sense Neville was his man, for the moment. Riggs didn't actually suspect him, but a number of vague vapors had begun to crystallize suddenly all at once, and Tite wanted to be sure.

"Have you talked much about it, Neville?" he said. "I mean, have you heard or gathered anything that would help me in my search? For you must be interested in getting at the truth—"

"I daresay I ought to be," the other cut in. "But I'm not. I don't look at these things as some people do. I'd rather let poor old Garry lie. To dig into that man's past would not only mean a lot of reproach to his memory but trouble and annoyance for other people who, whatever they may be, are innocent of any complicity in his death."

"Complicity? How can you think more than one person acted? Even the coroner's jury said 'at the hand of a person unknown,' omitting the alternative plural."

"I used the word carelessly, but even so there may have been complicity of intent with an individual action. I don't suggest this at all; I'm only defending my English."

He smiled. Neville was a man of charm, and the more Riggs looked at him the more he felt certain that the charm was of a sort that could expand into tact, even policy, even deception.

"Well," he said, after a moment's pause, "I believe 'cards on the table' was your phrase. Spread your hand."

"Why, my dear fellow, I meant your cards. I haven't any. I'm not in this, as I told you. What I meant was, spread your cards, so I may know what you're after from me."

"I've practically asked you all I am trying to learn from you; that's as to Garrett Folsom's sidelines. Straight goods, now, do you know of his being conversant with details of other people's lives, that said people would give almost anything not to have known?"

"Yes."

"And did give almost anything?"

"Yes."

"Yourself among them?"

"Yes."

"You know of others?"

"If I do, I don't propose to tell of it."

"Very well, and thank you for your frankness. This is not news to me, of course. But I will not ask you for any more than you want to tell."

"You've reached your limit, then."

Tite Riggs smiled. He began to like the man, though against his better judgment.

"What became of that valet of Folsom's, that Ross?" Neville asked.

Again Riggs smiled. He could so often read silent connective thought.

"You mean he knew about his master's business?"

"Gee, Riggs, you're uncanny! That's early Doyle work."

"Only to a mild degree. Why the nephew, Dan Pelton, one of your coheirs, accumulated Ross as part of his inheritance. I suppose he had a right to."

"Oh, hardly a question of right. Yes, I do rather think that Ross knows a lot about Garry's doings under the rose, as well as out in the moonlight."

"But faithful and loyal, as I see it."

"All of that. Old Ross is salt of the earth, if you ask me. And I don't believe you could get him to squeal on Folsom to the extent of one single sentence."

"That's the conclusion I've come to, after several attempts. Now, for a parting shot. What do you know of Croydon R. Sears?"

"Nothing but good."

"I hate that expression, 'nothing but good.' There's no man of whom that can truthfully be said."

"No, I suppose not. But Sears is, then, the average—or above average, as you like—honorable, upright citizen. The square businessman, the courteous gentleman, and the man of intellect—with a hobby."

"The hobby is of no interest save as it impinges upon the case we have in hand. Could he have done in Garry Folsom?"

"Not for a minute! He didn't buy that wicked old knife."

"How do you know he didn't?"

"He said so."

"Wouldn't you have said so if you had been the murderer?"

"Like a shot! But Sears? Why, he had no motive."

"Look here, Neville, if these things we've just spoken of are true bills, about 'other people's secrets,' any man may have a motive."

"Y—yes, I suppose so."

"Or Carmelita Valdon."

"Oh, don't take that too seriously. Carmy's notes were—just what you called them."

"To come back to Sears, then. Doesn't the mere fact that the weapon used was an antique curio seem to have a bearing?"

"Not a definite one—at least, not to me. Besides, as I understand it, Sears was a hundred feet or more away from Folsom."

"We've only Sears' word for that."

"By the Lord Harry, Riggs, you make me darned uncomfortable! You may like this sort of probing, but I don't! If you suspect Croydon Sears go and tell him so, but let me alone!"

Neville was on the verge of being angry, so, being a diplomatic man, Tite Riggs made some laughing retort and sauntered away.

Seeing Sears and Ned Barron, who had returned together, he went to speak to them.

"Might as well put it through," he told himself.

"Been in?" he asked, noting the vigorous glow that seems to follow as an aftermath the salt-water dip.

"Rather!" answered Barron. "None of the timider sex along, and we swam—how far did we go, Croy?"

"A million miles, at a rough guess. And uphill all the way."

"You look it! You two ought to pose for an advertisement picture of Somebody's—"

"Soap?" laughed Barron.

"No salt, I guess."

"I suppose we look like a pair of Lot's wives. And there's my own wife," and Barron left them abruptly to go toward Madeline, who had just come in sight.

Riggs snatched at his chance.

"Great old swimmers, you chaps," he said, heartily. "Can you give me a bit of help in my work, Mr. Sears? That young hopeful of your has lain down on the job."

"Why—that is, I don't see how I can, Mr. Riggs. I know nothing about it, you see. I was 'way off; I didn't see the thing at all."

"Yes, I know, but—I'm only checking up facts—who was the man in the green bathing suit who stood near you?"

"I haven't an idea, and—excuse me, sir—I shouldn't tell you if I had." And Croydon Rochester Sears, with a slight, formal bow, turned and walked away to where the Barrons were standing.

Tite Riggs looked critically at Mr. Sears' back and said, "Whew!"

(To Be Continued).

Riggs can't put Sears out of his mind when he thinks of the murder. Why do so many people act suspiciously? Who killed Folsom, anyway?

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson spent yesterday with Mr. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ferguson.

# DOLLAR A DAY PAY IN FORCE

LEGISLATORS NOW ARE ANXIOUS TO GET AWAY

## SLOW PROGRESS MADE

Bus Regulation Seems Certain—Statute Revision Provided—Job Tax Collection Bill Defeated

Written by J. S. Hubbard, Executive Secretary Missouri Press Association and Official Reporter House of Representatives.

Jefferson City, March 21—Members of the General Assembly went on a dollar a day basis Wednesday and are naturally anxious to get through as soon as possible. On account of some of the important measures considered progress has been made slowly, but profitably to the people of the state. This much may be said with assurance this legislature is not going to pass on any question without full information and the people may congratulate themselves that this is true.

Now that the members are on short rations they are very glad to accept all dinner engagements and one came opportunely on the day the dollar wage went into effect. Dr. Sayman of St. Louis, representing a group of business men, gave a dinner for all members and the officers of the two Houses at the Central Hotel. Thursday night the St. Louis and Kansas City Senators gave a St. Patrick's day dinner at the Country Club to members of the Senate, the senate officers, a few House members and the newspaper correspondents. Next week the citizens of Jefferson City will give a dinner for all the members.

The Senate has passed the joint and concurrent resolution submitting to the voters of the state a proposition to issue $10,000,000 bonds for the purpose of erecting and repairing buildings at the University, state teachers' colleges and the state institutions.

### Little Chance for Road Bonds

The bond issue proposition for an additional $120,000,000 to finish the road program has been engrossed by the senate. It is quite possible, however, that it will not pass on third reading and more than probable that the House will turn it down if it does get by the Senate. Senator Morgan is holding to his position that the best way from now on is a pay-as-you go policy. He estimates that there will be at least $15,000,000 available each year for road work and the completion of the projected system will be but slightly delayed.

Bus regulation appears to be certain since both houses have passed bills calling for effective regulation under the supervision of the Public Service Commission. The House passed its own bill and amended the Senate measure by substituting the House bill. A compromise bill will probably result and will insure proper supervision of the busses on the roads of the state. Senator Buford has a bill to regulate the trucks on the highways.

The House has passed the bill creating a revision committee to work on the statutes between sessions, so as to save time at the beginning of the 55th General Assembly, which will be the revising session. The bill is a committee substitute for three bills. It calls for a commission of six members, three to be appointed by the President of the Senate and three by the Speaker of the House, which insures bi-partisan commission. The members will receive $10 a day for the time they are at work with a maximum of $5 per day for expenses. The commission is to complete its work in November, 1928, and submit its report in the following month. It is estimated that it will save many days of time at the next session and will insure a much better revision of the statutes.

### House Passes Police Pension

The St. Louis police pension bill has been passed by the House. While there was considerable opposition to the measure it had eleven votes to spare on the final roll call.

House bill 157 by Representative Job, providing for the collection of taxes in counties having township organization by the county collector, was defeated on final roll call. The author contended that it would save thousands of dollars in every one of the twenty-one counties under township organization.

The community school bill, after a stormy passage, came through the House finally with flying colors. As amended it makes it the duty of the county superintendent to lay out the consolidated districts which are to square miles, or have 500 children of school age. It is designed to give equal opportunity to all children in the state and special state aid is to be furnished to districts which levy the constitutional limit of taxes and still fall short of enough money to maintain an eight-months' school.

The Senate finally defeated Senator Kinney's bill to provide for nominating conventions instead of the open primary.

Senator McCawley's bill providing that judges of the supreme court, court of appeals and circuit court shall be made by conventions was passed by the Senate.

### Nurse Bill by Senate

Three bills relating to the Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas have been passed by both houses and signed by the Governor.

The Senate has passed the nurse bill which authorizes the board of nurse examiners to grant license to were licensed under the act of 1921, on the payment of the $15 fee.

House bill 394 was substituted for Senate bill 207 in the Senate and passed. It relates to the inspection of grain and makes some slight changes in the present law.

The Senate has engrossed a bill which would add 610 miles to the present projected system, upon the completion of the 7640 miles.

The House has engrossed the highway patrol or safety bill and will probably pass it to the Senate. It provides for a vehicle commissioner, licenses for all drivers of motor cars, prescribes speeds under certain conditions up to forty-five miles an hour, and a state highway patrol with thirty patrolmen on motorcycles to see to the enforcement of the provisions of the law. It is considered one of the most important bits of legislation at this session.

### Governor's Bill Doomed

There appears to be no choice for the Governor's tax bill to pass this session. Another hearing was held by the Senate Committee on Ways and Means Wednesday night and it was quite evident that the members of the committee were opposed to its provisions, though they have made no report. An attempt was made by Senator Hildreth to get the bill out of committee, but the committee was finally allowed more time for consideration. Among those appearing against the measure Wednesday night were the treasurer of the St. Louis Municipal opera and a representative of organized baseball.

Senator Ford of Nodaway county received the congratulations of his colleagues on March 17th when it became known that he was celebrating his birthday.

The extreme penalty for highway robbery where the bandit is armed with a deadly weapon is placed at life imprisonment by a bill passed in the Senate and death by the terms of a House bill.

Senate bill 241 providing for an intermediate reformatory has been passed by the Senate. The chief opposition to the measure was that no funds were available to carry it into effect. A similar bill was passed by the 53rd General Assembly, but no appropriation was made.

The Senate passed the House bill which increases the number of supreme court commissioners from four to iix and it has been signed by the governor.

Senator Wanimack's bill extending the time for making state income tax returns to March 15 was passed by the Senate.

### More Time on Improvements

Senator Hereford's bill extending the time for the payment of taxes on special improvement bonds from three to ten years, was passed by the Senate. It is designed to help property owners of limited means.

The Senate has passed the bill requiring the teaching of the United States constitution in the State University, State Teachers' Colleges and the public schools of the state.

All House bills on the regular calendar for third reading have been placed on the informal calendar so there is a wild scramble among members to get recognition to take up the measures in which they are particularly interested.

House bill 127, known as the "egg bill," finally lost out on final roll call late Thursday afternoon, the chief opposition coming from the cities. Sponsors of the bill insist that it will place Missouri-laid eggs in a class to compete with eggs from other states which command a premium on the big city markets. An attempt will be made the first of the week to get the bill reconsidered, but the outlook for its passage is far from bright.

### Would License Dogs

Representative Crawford of Macon secured the passage of his dog license bill in the House Friday afternoon. It provides a tax of $1 for male and $2 for female dogs, the proceeds to go to road dragging fund. It also provides for the destruction of sheep-killing dogs. Cities of 50,000 and ower are exempted, the measure being intended for the benefit of rural communities.

The title insurance bill, which provides for guaranteeing titles to real estate and insuring owners of real estate against loss by reason of defective titles, was passed by the House.

The Senate has engrossed a bill by Senators Gunn and McMurry which authorizes the prison commissioners to purchase limestone crushers and pulverizers and to sell pulverized limestone for agricultural purposes and crushed stone for bridge and highway purposes at cost.

M. L. Francis of the Slater News and Rustler, who has been providing the daily report for WOS, was hit by an automobile in Columbia the first of the week and had his collar bone broken. This office has been "pinch-hitting" for him since Monday night so if anything is wrong don't charge it up to him.

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Mrs. Florence Haller made a trip to St. Joseph yesterday.

Miss Hilah Snyder of St. Joseph will return home tomorrow after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. G. Robinson, and family.

### Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, beginning March 12:

Patience Hopper et al to C. C. Younger and wife, N½ SW 4-66-37, $6,400.

Virginia Rose to M. M. Flanagan, part W½ SW 11-64-34, $1.

John Schweiback to Catherine Geygar, part lot 3, block 1, Conception, $500.

E. F. Wolfert to Real Estate Bank, W½ NE and NW SE 24-64-35, $1.

T. A. Combs to T. A. Cummins, part NE SE 7-64-35, $1.

T. A. Cummins to A. R. Combs, part NE SE 7-64-35, $1.

C. Peve et al to W. W. Thompson, part NW NW 20-66-34, $550.

Jno. Shafer to W. W. Thompson, part NW NW 20-66-34, $1,500.

J. M. Archer to Ed Archer part SW 19-63-34, $10.

N. Long to M. J. Wilson, part SE part SW 15-66-33, $6,500.

C. G. Partridge to G. W. McKee and wife, lot 1, Chamberlains add Maryville, $2,000.

H. R. Bebout to P. A. Jeffers, S½ NE 3-66-35, $1.

W. J. Copeland to R. M. Copeland, NW 33-65-47, $1,724.50.

H. E. Barber to Citizens Bank Graham, part NE and NE SE 8-62-36, $20,475.

F. P. Graham to E. M. Conlin, lot 4 block 2, Guilford, $1,200.

C. M. Gray to Clifford Henry and wife part S½ NW SW 10-66-35, $950.

E. G. Wakeley to C. G. Hilsabeck and wife, lots 1, 4, 5, block 3, Brown's add Graham, $600.

Chas. Buie to Mrs. Mattie Collins, N½ SW SE 13-62-35, $2,500.

A. A. Thummel to J. G. Thummel, SE 31-66-33, $1.

F. A. Breit to S. Bennett, lot 6 Rose Hill cemetery, $10.

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"And while I have rested, my lesson I've read,"
And no doubt from here went many a prayer.

In the church she taught the little ones there,
Opening the gates to the better way,
Teaching them of God's watchful care
Helping the children, day by day.

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And then a follower of the Star.
Each point a guide, each flower a text
To that beautiful city with gates ajar.

We miss her in all, home, church and star.
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But we can go to her, there is no bar
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OBITUARIES 6

Inez Rosetta Dixon was born in Monmouth, Ill., October 24, 1866, and died in Clearmont, Mo., March 13, 1927, aged 59 years, 4 months, 13 days. She was married to John A. Myers, January 7, 1890. To them six children were born, Della (Mrs. Haiatt) of Oklahoma; Floyd Buffalo, Mo.; Charley, Clearmont, Mo.; Willie, who died a few years ago, and two who died in infancy. When 12 years of age, she with her parents came to Missouri, locating near Pickering, where they lived about 12 years, coming to Clearmont, where her remaining life was spent. When converted years ago, she united with the Baptist Church, then afterward, with her daughter united with the Christian Church, five or six years later, she returned to the Baptist, where she remained a highly honored member until her death. She was always active in every church work until her health broke down over two years ago; she was a teacher in the Sunday School several years. The funeral service was held at the Baptist church, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. W. Laughlin, assisted by Rev. M. I. Rose, on March 15 and interment in Clearmont cemetery. Earth is richer for her life, she will be greatly missed. She awaits our coming to the home above. W. W. L.

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WANTED—Clean rags, free from buttons.—Democrat-Forum & Tribune.

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FOR RENT—Two modern apartments for small families. Water, coal and garage free if desired.—See me personally. Can't hear over phone.—Charles Hyslop.

BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT 40

FOR RENT—Nice front office room, partly furnished, south side square. Call Missouri Theatre.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—80 acres and 108-acre farm; also 2,500 bushels of corn for sale.—Allen Brothers.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—By the year. Two modern seven-room houses in good locations. Fred Kurtz, Hanamo 649.

FOR RENT—Ten-room house with one acre ground. Chicken houses, cave, and garden. One mile south town on pavement.—See W. N. Deatherage.

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house. Close in.—J. W. Linneman, Hanamo 4048.

FOR RENT—New modern 5-room cottage, furnished.—C. W. Butler, 421 West 4th.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—Rooms for boys, modern home, light housekeeping privileges.—Mrs. Masters, 510 North Fillmore.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

In compliance with section 11251, Revised Statutes of 1919, of the state of Missouri, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of School District Number 97, county of Nodaway and state of Missouri, being the Maryville Public School District, that the annual school meeting of said school district will be held at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, held for City election, on Tuesday the fifth day of April, 1927, commencing at seven o'clock A. M. and closing at six o'clock p. m. of that day, and among other things specified by law, the following will be proposed and considered:

First, the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Second, the election of one director for the period of one year.

Third, A proposition to increase the rate of taxation, for the maintenance of school and school purposes, six mills on the one dollar of the assessed valuation of the district, in addition to the four mills authorized by law.

Fourth, A proposition to change the boundary line of said district in such a manner as to exclude from said district and attach to district number 96 the following described land to-wit: The West one half of section twenty-two (22) and the south east quarter of the north east quarter and the north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-one (21), all in township sixty-four (64), of range thirty-five (35), in said Nodaway county, Missouri. Said described lands being now a part of said district number 97.

Fifth, The election of a County Superintendent of Schools.

By order of the Board of Directors.
L. C. COOK, President.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

## College Musicians Broadcast From KMA

Nodaway County radio fans had their privilege of hearing our own State Teachers College Choral and Glee Clubs in programs from radio station KMA, Shenandoah, Iowa, yesterday.

The choral club appeared in a sacred concert at the First Presbyterian Church in Shenandoah, last night. The men's glee club gave a concert in the afternoon.

Soloists in the afternoon were William Gaugh, trumpet; Paschal Monk, baritone; Vernon Barrett, tenor; and Merle Williams, violinist. At night the soloists were Miss Elizabeth Mills, soprano; Miss Margaret Mills, pianist; and Miss Dottie Davis, violinist.

There are twenty-four members in the glee club and sixty-five in the Choral Club. Charles R. Gardner is director of both organizations, and T. H. Annett is accompanist.

Read the Want Ads.

## Legislature to Be Busy Until March 30

None of Big Appropriation Measures Yet Out of Committee.—House Members Leaving.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 21.—Senator Painter, Democratic majority leader, and a member of the subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee, said Saturday night final adjournment of the assembly cannot be effected before March 30.

None of the big appropriation measures have been considered. All are in committee and the subcommittee members of which cannot complete their work before Monday or Tuesday. Then the full committee must act.

House members are leaving almost daily. Unless members are returned by the sergeant at arms, there will not be a corporal's guard here to adopt the conference committee's reports upon appropriation bills aggregating more than $18,000,000, exclusive of the schools' one-third.

## Few Auto Licenses Issued Last Week

Total of 267 Sets Low Record Since February 1.—Deadline Is Week From Thursday.

Fewer state motor licenses were issued last week through the Maryville Chamber of Commerce than any week since the 1927 plates were made available on February 1. The total Saturday was 34, and for the week 267. The grand total since February 1 is 4,401.

The "Deadline," after which motorists without 1927 licenses will be arrested in this county has been set as March 31 by Prosecuting Attorney George P. Wright and Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell.

## Cow Testers Will Meet Here March 31

E. F. Stephens, extension specialist of the University of Missouri, who has assisted in the organization of the Nodaway County Cow Testing Association, will return to Maryville, Mar. 31, when he will bring a man qualified to act as tester, to be considered for the place as official tester in this county.

A meeting of those persons who are planning to be members of the association will be held at that time.

## Walter Allen Back From Hi-Y Conference

Walter Allen, president of the Hi-Y Club of the Maryville High School, returned today at noon from St. Joseph where he attended the Older Boys' Conference held yesterday afternoon and evening under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association and Hi-Y clubs of that city. Trenton, Maryville, Cameron, DeKalb and Kansas City were represented at the district conference.

## 4H Pig Club Will Meet Wednesday

The 4-H pig club of the Rockford community will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Claud Moore to reorganize the club. All of the boys in the nearby community are invited to attend. J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent, will be in attendance.

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# DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,000; market steady to 10c higher.

Top, $11.55; bulk, $10.50 to $11.25.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,000; market steady to 15c higher.

Bulk of steers, $9 to $11.

Cows and heifers, $4 to $9.25.

Calves, $6 to $11.50.

Stockers and feeders, $7.50 to $9.

Sheep.

Receipts 8,000; market generally steady.

Lambs, $14 to $15.

Ewes, $8.50 to $9.75.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 14,500; market strong, top, $12.05.

Cattle

Receipts 6,000, including 2,500 calves; most classes strong to 25c higher.

Sheep

Receipts 750; market for fat lambs 25c to 50c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 45,000; early trade generally 10c to 15c higher; later sales of butchers steady to 10c higher.

Cattle.

Receipts 19,000, including 3,000 calves; fed steers and fat butcher stock steady to 15c higher.

Sheep.

Receipts 9,000; fat lambs 15c to 25c higher.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,000; market steady to 10c higher; top, $11.75.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,600; market strong.

Sheep.

Receipts 8,500; market steady to strong.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 7,000; market strong to 35c higher.

Top, $11.75.

Bulk, $10.75 to $11.40.

Heavies, $10.50 to $11.

Lights, $11.40 to $11.75.

Cattle.

Receipts 15,500; market slow.

Prime fed steers, $11.50 to $12.50.

Dressed beef steers, $8.25 to $11.50.

Western steers, $8.25 to $11.75.

Southern steers, $7.50 to $9.75.

Stockers and feeders, $7.50 to $9.50.

Cows $4.00 to $8.25.

Heifers, $6.25 to $11.50.

Bulls, $5.50 to $6.75.

Calves, $6 to $12.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market steady to 25c higher.

Spring lambs, $13.50 to $15.10.

Yearlings, $11 to $12.

Ewes, $8.50 to $9.50.

Wethers, $8.75 to $9.50.

Stockers and feeders, $13.50 to $14.50.

Chicago Grain Table.

| Wheat— | Open | High | Low | Close | Yest. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 1.34¼ | 1.34½ | 1.33⅜ | 1.34⅛ | 1.34⅛ |
| July | 1.29⅛ | 1.29½ | 1.28¼ | 1.29¼ | 1.29⅛ |
| Sept. | 1.27¼ | 1.27½ | 1.26½ | 1.27¼ | 1.27¼ |
| CORN— | | | | | |
| May | .74¼ | .74⅝ | .73½ | .74⅜ | .74⅛ |
| July | .78⅞ | .79 | .78 | .78¾ | .78⅝ |
| Sept. | .82¼ | .82¾ | .82 | .82½ | .82½ |

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, $1.31½; No. 2 red, $1.31½; No. 3 red, $1.28.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 68½c to 72½c; No. 3 mixed, 68c; No. 3 white, 68½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 46c to 47½c; No. 3 white, 42c to 45½c.

HAY—Timothy, $4.75 to $5.25; clover, $31.50 to $36.75.

RYE—No. 4, 92c.

BARLEY—66c to 77c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 133 cars; market for both hard and red, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 hard $1.27½; No. 3 hard, $1.27 to $1.33; No. 2 red, $1.25½ to $1.27; No. 3 red, $1.25 to $1.26.

CORN—Receipts 31 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 70c to 73c; No. 3 mixed, 66½c to 70½c; No. 2 yellow, 73c to 75c; No. 3 yellow, 72c to 74c; No. 2 white, 71c to 72½c.

OATS—Receipts 10 cars; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 white, 46c to 49c.

RYE—No. 2, 93c to 94c.

Barley—No. 3, 75c to 76c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $14 to $15; timothy, No. 1, $15; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $24.

Eggs, 22c; selected, 27c; butter, 50c; packing, 22c; hens, 22c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 40c; ducks, 25c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 21.—In a feverish and active market, in which May wheat sold for new low on the crop and the deferred months for new lows on the movement, although early losses were regained, wheat did not show much disposition to advance over Saturday's final figures. Closing figures were unchanged to ⅛ cent up. The cash market was steady and unchanged. Receipts were 40 cars.

Liquidation in corn continued but the decline ran into good commission house support and recovered early losses, closing unchanged to ¼ cent higher. Receipts were 198 cars for two days. The cash market was steady.

Oats were steady to a little higher, closing ⅛ to ¼ cent higher. The cash market was steady.

Provisions closed higher.

LOCAL MARKETS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Eggs, per dozen | 19c |
| Cream, per lb. | 45c |
| Hens, per lb. | 18c |
| Leghorn, hens, per lb. | 17c |
| 1927 Springs, per lb. | 30c |
| Geese, per lb. | 8c |
| Roosters, per lb. | 12c |
| Hides, per lb | 6c |
| Ducks, per lb. | 10c |

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A GIRL! ANNIE! WITH TROUSERS- BUT--- BUT- I THOUGHT-
YESSIR, MR. FLINT- I'M A GIRL, ALL RIGHT- BUT GEE- I CAN'T HELP IT, YUH KNOW-
HELP IT- WHO WANTS YOU TO HELP IT, MY LASS- YE HAVE NAUGHT TO BE ASHAMED OF- ANNIE- ANNIE- IT'S A PRETTY NAME-
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# TRACK MEET PLANS MADE

H. B. RUTLEDGE IN CHARGE OF COUNTY EVENT.

## SIX BASEBALL TEAMS

Schools are Divided into Two Groups and Winners Will Play for Possession of Pennant.

Three members of the county high school athletic association—L. L. Livengood of Elmo, Ed Adams of Barnard, and H. B. Rutledge of Burlington Junction—met Saturday at the office of Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, for the purpose of arranging for the county track meet to be held at Burlington Junction, Saturday, May 7.

Hubert Garrett, superintendent at Quitman, the other member of the board, was unable to be present.

It was decided that Mr. Rutledge, superintendent of the Burlington Junction school, should be in charge of the track meet, and make all arrangements. The merchants of Burlington Junction have announced that they will give the prizes.

Entries for the meet must be mailed to Mr. Rutledge not later than May 1.

The schools which intend to play baseball were put in two groups, the members of each to play among themselves, arranging satisfactory dates, and the winners in each group to meet in a one or two-game series. In one group are Graham, Guilford and Barnard, and in the other are Burlington Junction, Elmo and Quitman.

The winners will be determined on a percentage basis and a pennant will be awarded the champion.

In the county track meet, medals will be given to the winners of first and second places and cups to the winners of the two classes. The events will be as follows:

Boys: 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard dash; half-mile run, high jump, pole vault, running broad jump, discus throw, shot put, half-mile relay and medley relay.

Girls: 60-yard dash, 75-yard dash, baseball throw, basketball throw, high jump, running broad jump and shuttle relay.

## Bearcats Credit to College, Says McBride in Star

The Bearcat five of the Northwest Teachers College played such a fine style of basketball that the team attracted considerable attention among the sport scribes.

C. E. McBride, sports editor of the Kansas City Star, in his Sunday column, again found time and space to mention the Bearcats and their coach in a laudable manner. McBride wrote:

"H. F. "Shorty" Lawrence, coach of the Maryville Teachers brought a well coached team to the national basketball play. The players, wearied by a schedule of more than twenty games, rallied their strength and gave an exhibition of court skill and gameness that was a credit to the Teachers college of Northwest Missouri. Winning two games the Maryvillians lost in the third round only by one point. A turn of fortune and that victory might well have been on the Maryville side of the ledger."

## Girls' Teams to Play National Tournament

Wichita, Kan., March 21.—Wichita's huge forum, with a seating capacity of some 5,000 persons, will be arranged into a basketball arena to handle the crowds which are expected to attend the national high school girls basketball tournament here March 23-26.

The tournament will be the first real affair of its kind in the history of the court game for members of the fair sex who play on high school teams. The quintets will battle for the Westfield challenge cup, emblematic of the girls' national high school basketball championship.

Sixteen teams are entered this year, with sextets from as far distant as Idaho and New Jersey planning to attend.

Impetus to the idea of a girls' national tournament was given four years ago when the Guthrie, Okla., team of the Middle West went East and defeated the Westfield, N. J., team. The Sooners then claimed the title and as a result the plan of holding a tournament has been evolved.

Sixty-four voices in Sacred Concert, Christian Church, tomorrow night, 8 o'clock.—Advertisement.

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## Northeast High Wins State Championship

Defeats Springfield in Final Game of Basketball Tournament at Columbia.

Columbia, Mo., March 21.—Northeast High School of Kansas City today is the state basketball title holder, winning in the final game here Saturday night over Springfield, 27 to 17.

St. Joseph Central was given third place in the tournament by defeating Jackson 25 to 9 in the consolation finals.

Pickering was defeated in the second round of the consolation flight by Warrenton, 25 to 21.

St. Joseph Junior College won the state basketball championship for junior colleges, defeating Southwest Baptist Junior College of Bolivar, 17 to 12, in the final game.

## College Coach Proud of Bearcat Cagers

Between Slices Of Toast, He Waxes Eloquent Over The Maryville-Emporia Clash.

H. Frank Lawrence, director of athletics at the State Teachers College, returned to Maryville last night after a solid week of basketball tournaments. Although much worn out from his visit in Kansas City at the National Tournament and at Columbia at the State High School tournament, Mr. Lawrence paused over his coffee this morning long enough to give lengthy praise to his College Bearcats, who fought through two rounds of the national cage classic before being eliminated by the Emporia Teachers in a heart-breaking game last Wednesday, 36 to 35.

"I'm just as proud of the boys as anyone could be," "Shorty" began, while he spread some of Mrs. Lawrence's delicious plum butter on a piece of toast.

"No sir, it wasn't a disappointment. You'd have been just as happy as I was if you could have seen that Emporia game.—Another piece of toast please—It was just a case of the Kansas team having the lead when the gun went off."

Mr. Lawrence imitated a one-arm shot with the hand which held the toast, while with the other he dribbled two more spoonsful of sugar into his cup.

"You saw the Hillyard game. Well, this was a running mate for it. About the same kind of basketball played by our boys, only the opposition kept the score so close.

"The teams would go up and down the floor so rapidly that we were all kept at the highest pitch of excitement. First we would score, and then Emporia would get a basket."

A lightning movement, and a piece of butter rested on the whole wheat as "Shorty" went on:

"The officials at the scorers' and timers' table were all for Maryville during the tournament. Harley Selvidge won ten boxes of popcorn on the Bearcats, and Keedy Campbell and Henry Godfriaux were all for us."

The diminutive coach mourned one thing, however, and that was the fact that Westminster was downed in the first game of the tournament.

"Boy, I rooted for them like an old grad. My boys wanted them to win, too, and I know we could have beaten them in the second round."

Mr. Lawrence spoke briefly of the tournament at Columbia. He said that all of the teams were fast and that Pickering and Maysville played well in their games.

About this time the supply of toast ran out, and "Chief," the Lawrence pup, had taken possession of the scraps.

"Gosh, I've gotta get to faculty council meeting. Drive me out to school, won't you?"

And that's all "Shorty" had time to say.

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## COURT TITLE TO HILLYARDS SECOND TIME

St. Joseph Team Defeats Ke-Nash-A for Championship, 29 to 10, at Kansas City Saturday.

Kansas City, Mo., March 21.—For the second successive year "Dad" Hillyard's basketball team from St. Joseph has been awarded the National A. A. U. basketball title. The award was made after DeBernardi and Associates won the championship game of the National tournament Saturday night, defeating Ke-Nash-A of Kenosha, Wis., 29 to 10.

Wichita defeated Washburn for third place in the tournament by a score of 31 to 28.

The Hillyards placed three men on the tourney all-star team, which the Kansas City Star named:

Forwards: DeBernardi and Hewitt, Hillyards.

Center: McBurney, Wichita University.

Guards: Hooker, Ke-Nash-A; Starbuck, Hillyards.

Out of the fifty-four teams that played in the tournament mention was made of twenty-six high-point scorers, including three from the Northwest Teachers College at Maryville.

Paul Burks, center, made 31 points; Leon Ungles and Orville Hedges, forwards, 24 points each. Spohn of Washburn was high point scorer with 67 points.

## Pro Basketball Now a Paying Enterprise

Commercialized Sport Is Past Experiment Stage, Owner of Chicago Team Declares.

Chicago, March 21.—Professional basketball has passed the experiment stage and is now a successful business enterprise as well as an intriguing sport, George Halas, owner of the Chicago Bruins declares.

Halas, an owner of the Chicago Bears professional football team, entered the basketball field two years ago, and while his teams have stood at the bottom of the league they have made money, in the development stage, he revealed. The cage magnate admitted that he expected to lose money for some time before he made the sport pay.

The Bruins are members of the American League of Professional Basketball clubs. Other teams in the circuit are the Cleveland Posenblums, champions last year, Rochester, N. Y.; the Washington Palace club, Washington, D. C., New York City, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Ft. Wayne.

The teams play a 42 game schedule among themselves; the season is divided into halves and the winner of the first half of the season plays the winner of the second half. Cleveland won the first half of this season and will play the winner of the second half unless it wins the second section too. In this case a $3,000 purse will be donated to the winning Rosies.

Cleveland attracts the largest attendance, with a record crowd of 11,000 attracted to two games during the present season. The New York Celtics and the Washington Palace team are the next best attractions.

Cleveland attends the basketball games almost as fully as it does the baseball contests, Halas said, and far bigger crowds attend the sessions of the cage sport than go to professional football games there.

Chicago's attendance in 1926-1927 has averaged 2,200 Halas said, and this turnout has made money for the promoters. In addition "Honey" Russell, Cleveland star, was purchased from the Cleveland club for a sum commensurate with the sale of a baseball player.

The players get paid salaries ranging from $600 to $10,000 annually. Nat Holman, forward on the New York Celtics receives the $10,000 sum. Marty Friedman, coach of the Cleveland team, is said to be another of the high salaried players.

## BILLY EVANS Says

Injury To Star Big Handicap

An early season injury to some big league star very often upsets the program of his manager, who is, perhaps, strongly banking on that particular player.

I have in mind the accidents that recently befell Walter Johnson and Eddie Collins, also the unfortunate plight of Johnny Mostil.

I was standing on the sidelines talking to Owner Clark Griffith and Manager Stanley Harris when Walter Johnson was seriously hurt by failing to get out of the way of a line drive from Joe Judge's bat.

Johnson had been pitching to the batters for about five minutes when the accident occurred. I had just mentioned that Walter seemed in great shape and very fast for so early in the season.

Both Harris and Griffith agreed with me, expressing the belief that the "Old Master" was in for a big year.

Players Have Habit Of Joshing

Ball players have a lot of fun kidding each other when some player gets in the way of a line drive, provided, of course, no serious consequences result.

When Johnson was struck just above the left ankle by Judge's line drive and immediately dropped to the ground in pain, Nick Altrock, Al Schacht and a number of other players did a "London Bridge Is Falling Down" as Walter rolled around on the ground.

A general laugh was indulged in by everybody, even Walter joined in, although it was evident he was suffering considerable pain.

It seems that a golf foursome was on that afternoon between Altrock and Schacht versus Johnson and Rice. The two comedians rejoiced that Walter wouldn't be at his best.

At this stage of the affair Trainer Mike Martin came on the scene and took Johnson to the clubhouse for treatment.

Injury Proved Quite Serious

Walter Johnson never makes a fuss about anything if there isn't any reason for it and I was rather satisfied in my own mind that he was rather badly hurt. I watched the Washington trainer remove the stocking, revealing a discolored lump, almost the size of a baseball.

Ice applications quickly removed the swelling and Trainer Martin said, unless one of the small bones was broken, Walter would be up and doing in not more than three days.

Despite the swelling and pain he was suffering, Johnson insisted in hobbling around for a day, before admitting that it might be wise to make an X-ray picture of the injury.

This showed a break of one of the small bones in the ankle. The leg is in a cast and it is said Johnson won't pitch until May 1.

May Spoil Nationals' Chances

I trust the injury isn't as serious as reported. However, if it really is, I doubt if Johnson is pitching by June 1.

Pitching is the biggest problem that confronts Manager Harris, and Johnson's injury complicates it all the more.

In doping his chances to win the American pennant this year, Harris banked strongly on the chances of Walter Johnson having a big year. He looked for his ace to win 20 or more ball games.

With Johnson on the shelf for any great length of time, the Washington club would be dealt a severe blow. Most of the pitching would have to come from the younger members of the staff, which is asking too much.

The accident to Johnson, who seemed to be in for a big year, is just an indication of what a precarious business baseball is, from the standpoint of the club owner and manager as well as the player.

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## Former Congressman Guilty of Conspiracy

Muskogee, Okla., March 21.—Federal Judge R. L. Williams today overruled the motion of T. A. Chandler, former United States congressman of Tulsa, and six Eufaula, Okla., attorneys for a new trial, after their conviction of conspiring to defraud the government in accepting $35,000 fees in an Indian divorce suit.

The court set April 1 as date of sentence.

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Parsnips, 6 pounds ..... 25c
Head Lettuce, 2 for ..... 25c
Fresh Tomatoes, pound ..... 20c
Mangoes, 3 for ..... 25c
Large Grape Fruit ..... 10c

SARDINES Tin-Apas, in the round cans, each 5c Doz. 55c
Brand new goods direct from Pacific Coast. They are good eating.

SALT FISH Fancy White Fat Mackerel, each ..... 15c
No. 1 Lake Fish (big ones) per lb. ..... 15c
Smoked Boneless Herring, one-half pound ..... 15c
Boneless Codfish, 2 pounds for ..... 35c

SEED POTATOES
Pure seed from Red River Valley. Both certified and not certified. You won't find such quality at our low prices elsewhere.

PRUNES Del Monte Prepared Ready to serve. Elegant quality No. 1 tall cans only Dozen $1.70. 15c

Gallon cans Rhubarb or Gooseberries (in syrup) for ..... 55c
Gallon cans solid pack Blackberries (worth 75c to 85c) for ..... 55c

BELOIT MILLING CO. MILLERS OF SUPERIOR FLOUR
90,000 sacks (more than 100 carloads) of this high grade flour was sold last year in this vicinity. In this sale you may buy your choice of brands: ECONOMY FANCY CREAM HIGH CHIEF at $1.80 for 48 lb. sack; 93c for 24 lb. sack. No limit.

Onion Plants, 200 for 25c 1000 for ..... $1.00
Gallon cans (solid pack) the finest Black Pitted Cherries only ..... 78c

FOR THURSDAY SELLING:
16 lbs. fine dry granulated sugar for ..... $1.00
Choice Rice, all you want per pound ..... 5c
Peck Table Potatoes only ..... 35c
2 cans Dr. Price's 6 oz. Baking Powder for ..... 15c
2 lbs. fresh baked Ginger Snaps for ..... 19c